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Text of President's Fireside Chat Monday Eve.

Washington, Sept. 8.—(AP)—The following is the text of President Roosevelt's radio address to the nation Monday night:

I wish that all the American people could read all the citations for various medals recommended for our soldiers, sailors and marines. I am picking out one of these citations which tells of the accomplishments of Lieut. John James Powers, United States Navy, during three days of the battles with Japanese forces in the Coral Sea.

During the first two days, Lieut. Powers, flying a dive-bomber in the face of blasting enemy anti-aircraft fire, demolished one large enemy gunboat, put another gun boat out of commission, severely damaged an aircraft tender and a 20,000 ton transport and scored a direct hit on an aircraft carrier which burst into flames and sank soon after.

The official citation describes the morning of the third day of battle. As the pilots of his squadron left the ready room to man their planes, Lieut. Powers said to them, "Remember, the folks back home are counting on us. I am going to get a hit if I have to lay it on their flight deck."

He led his section down to the target from an altitude of 18,000 feet, through a wall of bursting anti-aircraft shells and swarms of enemy planes. He dove almost to the very deck of the enemy carrier, and did not release his bomb until he was sure of a direct hit. He was last seen attempting recovery from his dive at the extremely low altitude of 200 feet, amid a terrific barrage of shell and bomb fragments, smoke, flame and debris from the stricken vessel. His own plane was destroyed by the explosion of his own bomb. But he had made good his promise to "lay it on the flight deck."

I have received a recommendation from the secretary of the Navy that Lieut. James Powers, of New York City, missing in action, be awarded the medal of honor. I hereby and now make this award.

"We're Not Doing Enough"

You and I are "the folks back home" for whose protection Lieut. Powers fought and repeatedly risked his life. He said that we counted on him and his men. We did not count in vain. But have not those men a right to be counting on us? How are we playing our part "back home" in winning this war?

The answer is that we are not doing enough.

Today I sent a message to the congress, pointing out the overwhelming urgency of the serious domestic economic crisis with which we are threatened. Some call it "inflation," which is a vague sort of term, and others call it a "rise in the cost of living," which is much more easily understood by most families.

That phrase, "the cost of living," means essentially what a dollar can buy.

From Jan. 1, 1941, to May of this year, the cost of living went up about 15 per cent. At that point we undertook to freeze the cost of living. But we could not do a complete job of it, because the congressional authority at the time exempted a large part of farm products used for food and for making clothing; though several weeks before, I had asked the congress for legislation to stabilize all farm prices.

Asks Congress for Action

At that time I had told the congress that there were seven elements in our national economy, all of which had to be controlled; and that if any one essential element remained exempt, the cost of living could not be held down.

On only two of these points—both of them vital however—did I call for congressional action. These were: First, taxation; and second, the stabilization of all farm prices at parity.

"Parity" is a standard for the maintenance of good farm prices. It was established as our national policy in 1933. It means that the farmer and the city worker are on the same relative ratio with each other in purchasing power as they were during a period some thirty years ago—at a time when the farmer had a satisfactory purchasing power. One hundred per cent parity, therefore, has been accepted by farmers as the fair standard for their prices.

Last January, however, the congress passed a law forbidding ceilings on farm prices below 110 per cent of parity on some commodities. On other commodities, the ceiling was even higher, so that the average possible ceiling is now about 116 per cent of parity for agricultural products as a whole.

"Act Of Favoritism"

This act of favoritism for one particular group in the community increased the cost of food to everybody—not only to the workers in the city or in the munitions plants and their families, but also to the families of the farmers themselves.

Since last May, ceilings have been set on nearly all commodities, rents and services, except the exempted farm products. Installment buying has been effectively controlled.

Wages in certain key industries have been stabilized on the basis of the present cost of living.

It is obvious, however, that if the cost of food continues to go

up, as it is doing at present, the wage earner, particularly in the lower brackets, will have a right to an increase in his wages. That would be essential justice and practical necessity.

Our experience with the control of other prices during the past few months has brought out one important fact—the rising cost of living can be controlled, providing all elements making up the cost of living are controlled at the same time. We know that parity prices for farm products not now controlled will not put up the cost of living more than a very small amount; but that if we must go on up to an average of 116 per cent of parity for food and other farm products—which is necessary at present under the emergency price control act before we can control all farm prices—the cost of living will get well out of hand. We are face to face with this danger today. Let us meet it and remove it.

Makes Victory Difficult

I realize that it may seem out of proportion to you to be worrying about these economic problems at a time like this when we are all deeply concerned about the news from far distant fields of battle. But I give you the solemn assurance that failure to solve this problem here at home—and to solve it now—will make more difficult the winning of this war.

If the vicious spiral of inflation ever gets under way, the whole economic system will stagger. Prices and wages will go up so rapidly that the entire production program will be endangered. The cost of the war, paid by taxpayers, will jump beyond all present calculations. It will mean an uncontrollable rise in prices and in wages which can result in raising the over-all cost of living as high as another 20 per cent. That would mean that the purchasing power of every dollar you have in your pay envelope, or in the bank, or included in your insurance policy or your pension would be reduced to about 80 cents. I need not tell you that this would have a demoralizing effect on our people, soldiers and civilians alike.

Over-all stabilization of prices, salaries, wages and profits is necessary to the continued increasing production of planes and tanks and ships and guns. In my message today I have told the congress that this must be done quickly. If we wait for two and three or four or six months it may well be too late. I have told the congress that the administration can not hold the actual cost of food and clothing down to the present level beyond October first.

Therefore, I have asked the congress to pass legislation under which the president would be specifically authorized to stabilize the cost of living, including the price on all farm commodities. The purpose should be to hold farm prices at parity, or at levels of a recent date, whichever is higher. The purpose should also be to keep wages at a point stabilized with today's cost of living. Both must be regulated at the same time; and neither can or should be regulated without the other.

Will Stabilize Wages

At the same time that farm prices are stabilized, I will stabilize wages. This is plain justice—and plain common sense. I have asked the congress to take this action by the first of October. We must now act with the dispatch which the stern necessities of war require. I have told the congress that inaction on their part by that date will leave me with an incapable responsibility to the people of this country to see to it that the war effort is no longer imperiled by the threat of economic chaos.

As I said in my message to the congress:

In the event that the congress should fail to act, and act adequately, I shall accept the responsibility, and I will act. The president has the powers, under the constitution and under congressional acts, to take measures necessary to avert a disaster which would interfere with the winning of the war. I have given the most thoughtful consideration to meeting this issue without further reference to the congress. I have determined, however, on this vital matter to consult with the congress.

There may be those who will say that, if the situation is as grave as I have stated it to be, I should use by powers and act now. I can only say that I have approached this problem from every angle, and that I have decided that the course of conduct which I am following in this case, is consistent with my sense of responsibility as president in time of war, and

with my deep and unalterable devotion to the processes of democracy.

Grave Responsibilities

The responsibilities of the president in war time to protect the nation are very grave. This total war, with our fighting fronts all over the world, makes the use of executive power far more essential than in any previous war.

If we were invaded, the people of this country would expect the president to use any and all means to repel the invader.

The revolution and the war between the states were fought on our own soil but today this war will be won or lost on other continents and remote seas. I cannot tell what powers may have to be exercised in order to win this war.

The American people can be sure that I will use my powers with a full sense of responsibility to the constitution and to my country. The American people can be sure that I shall not hesitate to use every power vested in me to accomplish the defeat of our enemies in any part of the world where our own safety demands such defeat.

When the war is won, the powers under which I act will automatically revert to the people—to whom they belong.

Depends On Farmers

I think I know the American farmers. I know that they are as wholehearted in their patriotism as any other group. They have suffered from the constant fluctuations of farm prices—occasionally too high, more often too low. Nobody knows better than farmers the disastrous effects of war time inflationary booms and post-war deflationary panics.

I have today suggested that the congress make our agricultural economy more stable. I have recommended that in addition to putting ceilings on all farm products now, we also place a definite floor under those prices for a period beginning now, continuing through the war, and for as long as necessary after the war. In this way we will be able to avoid the collapse of farm prices which happened after the last war. The farmers must be assured of a fair minimum price during the re-adjustment period which will follow the excessive world food demands which now prevail.

We must have some floor under farm prices, as we have under wages, if we are to avoid the dangers of a post-war inflation on the one hand, or the catastrophe of a crash in farm prices and wages, on the other.

Urges Tax Bill Speed

Today I have also advised the congress of the importance of speeding up the passage of the tax bill. The federal treasury is losing millions of dollars a day because the bill has not yet been passed. Taxation is the only practical way of preventing the incomes and profits of individuals and corporations from getting too high.

I have told the congress once more that all net individual incomes, after payment of all taxes, should be limited effectively by further taxation to a maximum net income of \$25,000 a year. And it is equally important that corporate profits should not exceed a reasonable amount in any case.

The nation must have more money to run the war. People must stop spending for luxuries. Our country needs a far greater share of our incomes.

This is a global war and it will cost this nation nearly one hundred billion dollars in 1943.

Takes Up War Fronts

In that global war there are now four main areas of combat; and I should like to speak briefly of them, not in the order of importance, for all of them are vital and all of them inter-related.

(1) The Russian front. Here the Germans are still unable to gain the smashing victory which, almost a year ago, Hitler announced he had already achieved. Germany has been able to capture important Russian territory. Nevertheless, Hitler has been unable to destroy a single Russian army; and this, you may be sure, has been, and still is, his main objective. Millions of German troops seem doomed to spend another cruel and bitter winter on the Russian front. The Russians are killing more nazis, and destroying more airplanes and tanks than are being smashed on any other front. They are fighting not only bravely but brilliantly. In spite of any setbacks, Russia will hold out, and with the help of her allies will ul-

timately drive every nazi from her soil.

(2) The Pacific ocean area. This area must be grouped together as a whole—every part of it, land and sea. We have stopped one major Japanese offensive, and have inflicted heavy losses on their fleet. But they still possess great strength they seek to keep the initiative; and they will undoubtedly strike hard again. We must not over-rate the importance of our successes in the Solomon islands, though we may be proud of the skill with which these local operations were conducted. At the same time, we need not under-rate the significance of our victory at Midway. There we stopped the major Japanese offensive.

(3) In the Mediterranean and the Middle East area the British, together with the South Africans, Australians, New Zealanders, Indian troops and others of the united nations, including ourselves, are fighting a desperate battle with the Germans and Italians. The axis powers are fighting to gain control of that area, dominate the Mediterranean and Indian ocean, and gain contact with the Japanese navy. The battle is now joined. We are well aware of our danger, but we are hopeful of the outcome.

Must Fight in Europe

(4) The European area. Here the aim is an offensive against Germany. There are at least a dozen different points at which attacks can be launched. You, of course, do not expect me to give details of future plans, but you can rest assured that preparations are being made here and in Britain toward this purpose. The power of Germany must be broken on the battlefields of Europe.

Various people urge that we concentrate our forces on one or another of these four areas, although no one suggests that any one of the four areas should be abandoned. Certainly, it could not be seriously urged that we abandon aid to Russia, or surrender all of the Pacific to Japan, or the Mediterranean and Middle East to Germany, or give up an offensive against Germany. The American people may be sure that we shall neglect none of the four great theaters of war.

Certain vital military decisions

have been made. In due time you will know what these decisions are—and so will our enemies. I can say now that all of these decisions are directed toward taking the offensive.

Today, exactly nine months after Pearl Harbor, we have sent overseas three times more men than we transported to France in the first nine months of the first World War. We have done this in spite of greater danger and fewer ships. And every week sees a gain in the actual number of American men and weapons in the fighting areas. These reinforcements in men and munitions will continue to go forward.

This war will finally be won by the co-ordination of all the armies, navies and air forces of the united nations operating in unison against our enemies.

Struggle To The Death

This will require vast assemblies of weapons and men at all the vital points of attack. We and our allies have worked for years to achieve superiority of our men. We glory in the individual exploits of our soldiers, our sailors, our marines, our merchant seamen. Lieut. John James Powers was one of these—and there are thousands of others in the forces of the united nations.

Several thousand Americans have met death in battle. Other thousands will lose their lives. But many millions stand ready to step into their places—to engage in a struggle to the very death. For they know that the enemy is determined to destroy us, our homes and our institutions—that in this war it is kill or be killed.

Battles are not won by soldiers or sailors who think first of their own personal safety. And wars are not won by people who are concerned primarily with their own comfort, their own convenience, their own pocket-books.

We Americans of today bear the gravest of responsibilities. All of the united nations share them.

All of us here at home are being tested—for our fortitude, for our selfish devotion to our country and our cause.

This is the toughest war of all time. We need not leave it to historians of the future to answer the question whether we are tough enough to meet this unprecedented challenge. We can give that answer now. The answer is "yes."

USO Donations

Donations to the USO fund in Dixon today totalled \$2,041.52 towards the city's \$4,500 share of the \$6,500 quota assigned Lee County. Donors to date are:	
Scrap Salvage	\$100.00
Stewart Warner Corporation	100.00
Reynolds Wire Co.	100.00
Employees Borden Milk Co.	100.00
Illinois Northern Utilities Company	100.00
J. L. Simmons Co., Hazlet and Erdal	100.00
Dixon Water Company	50.00
Dixon Home Telephone Co.	50.00
Dixon Fruit Company	50.00
Dixon Country Club	50.00
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Dixon Devine, Bracken & Dixon	20.00
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Hey Brothers	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Cannon	15.00
Dixon Bldg. & Loan Assn.	15.00
Sinor & Wieman	15.00
Mellott Furniture Co.	15.00
Chester Barriage	11.02
W. E. Bunnell	10.00
Dixon One-Stop	10.00
W. W. Woolworth Co.	10.00
F. W. Woolworth Co.	10.00
Employees	10.00
Dixon Lodge, Fidelity Life	10.00
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Old Soldier	10.00
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Phil Hopkins	10.00
Thomas Young	10.00
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Douglas Curran	10.00
Sam Bacharach	10.00
Ploverman's Store	10.00
W. E. Trein	10.00
Mrs. Anna Dement	10.00
Employees City National Bank	7.50
Dr. Chas. LeSage	7.50
Blue Ribbon Distributors	7.50
I. N. U. Golfers	7.50
P. B. Decker	5.00

Mrs. Louis Sinow	5.00	Geo. Rosbrook	2.00
Sam Hartzell	5.00	Dr. H. A. Lazier	2.00
Dr. J. B. Werren	5.00	J. F. McIntyre	2.00
Vandenberg Paint Co.	5.00	Snow White Bakery	2.00
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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rintoul	5.00	John Keane	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Raymond	5.00	A Friend	1.00
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Ted Talty	5.00	A Friend	1.00
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Society News

Miss Von Holten, Lowell Dietz, Are Wed at Rock Falls

Summer flowers, palms and ferns decorated the candlelit altar of the Rock Falls Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon for the wedding of Miss Arlene Von Holten, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Von Holten, and Lowell Dietz, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dietz of Harmon. The Rev. Wilhelm Streng read the double ring ceremony, before a large assemblage of guests.

Mrs. Herman Oltman, church organist, played the nuptial prelude, and accompanied Mr. Oltman, who sang "I Love You Truly," and "At Cana, Lord Thou Didst Appear." The Lohengrin wedding march was used as the processional.

The bride, who walked with her father, wore white Chantilly lace over taffeta. Pearl clips trimmed the bodice, that fastened with silk covered buttons, the sleeves were long, and the full skirt extended into a train. Her full-length veil was edged with lace, and was held in place by seed pearls and a coronet of pink rosebuds and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of sweetheart rosebuds. Her gold necklace and matching bracelet were her bridegroom's gift.

Miss Dorothy Schmidt of Rock Falls was her former schoolmate's only attendant. She wore a gown of pink brocade satin. Her arm bouquet contained rosebuds, asters, gladioli and stephanotis.

Harold Dietz served his brother as best man. Ushers were Orville Blackberry of Rock Falls, John Dietz, Richard Von Holten and Albert Schultz.

The bride's mother wore a navy blue ensemble with black accessories, and the bridegroom's mother chose soldier blue with white trim.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Blackberry, where the bride cut a two-tiered cake that was topped with a miniature bridal pair. Mrs. Maude Parker and Mrs. A. B. Clatworthy, grandmother and great-aunt of the bridegroom, poured. Those assisting with the serving were Sadie Teach, Elma Rhodenbaugh, L. Smallwood, Lela Kunde, Beulah Glafka, Leta Johnson, Emma Parker, and Bernice Parker.

Mrs. Von Holten attended the Maple Grove rural school and Walnut high school. She has been active in 4-H club work. The bridegroom was graduated from the Harmon and Walnut schools, and is a member of the Future Farmers of America.

Out of town guests were present from Chana, Walnut, Rochelle, Harmon, Rock Falls, and Sterling, including the bridegroom's 84-year-old grandfather, William Von Holten of Tampico.

TO IOWA CITY

Carl Heckman left Sunday for Iowa, where he is enrolled for a three-year nursing course at the University hospital, after a vacation at home. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Heckman, accompanied her to Iowa City.

"Caddyettes" Serve USO at Exhibition Golf Match



Half a dozen purposeful volunteers, pictured above, adopted the name "Caddyettes," and collected \$41.65 in their golf bags for the USO on No. 3 green, following the exhibition golf match at the Dixon Country club Sunday afternoon. The feature was one of a succession of events planned for

this week, to raise funds for Dixon's quota in the USO drive. The "Caddyettes" included, left to right: Miss Lucile Stauffer, Mrs. Donald Alton, Miss Vivian Stiles, Miss Louise Cannon, Mrs. Mark Keller, Jr., and Miss Helene Krug. Louise's father, LeGrand Cannon, and Mayor William Slothower are co-chairmen of the Dixon unit of the campaign.

—Telegraph Photo and Engraving

AT HORSE SHOW

Mahogany Miss, owned by Joan Killian of Sterling, won the three-gaited show horse stake at the Whiteside county fair at Morrison, Friday evening. Rex, shown by Mary Louise Dysart of Franklin Grove, placed third in both the three-gaited pleasure and horsemanship for boys and girls from 10 to 17 years classes. More than 2,500 persons attended the show.

SHOW MOVIES AT WHITE PINES PARK

Between 50 and 75 guests assembled in the lodge at the White Pines Forest state park, Saturday evening, to enjoy the new state park technicolor movie, "The Open Road," shown by Mrs. Alice Hills, park naturalist. Among the scenes, recorded last year, were glimpses of Mrs. Hills herself, and familiar views at the White Pines, in addition to other park areas throughout the state.

Mrs. Hills concluded the program with colored pictures of flowers, animals, and fungi to be seen at this season at the Pines. The naturalist conducts two nature study hikes through the park each Sunday at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Illustrated lectures are presented at the lodge at 8 o'clock every Sunday evening.

DINNER GUESTS

Mrs. Leonard Underwood and Miss Grace Steel of Portland, Oregon were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fuller of East Second street.

SUPPER HOSTESS

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell entertained at supper Sunday evening for Mrs. Busher of Honolulu, Hawaii.

MOTHER'S CLUB WILL HEAR MISS ESTHER BARTON

Members of the Young Mother's club will hold their first study meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Carl Santee at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Miss Esther Barton, principal of the Lincoln grade school, is to be their guest speaker and her subject will be "Help Your Child to Appreciate Nature's Laboratories."

Those unable to attend are asked to notify the hostess committee, Mrs. Santee, Mrs. W. R. Kitson, and Mrs. Gordon McDonald, by Wednesday morning.

FROM MONMOUTH

Mrs. L. G. Yenerich returned yesterday from Monmouth, where she spent the past week with her daughters, Mrs. Harold Pedigo, music supervisor in the Monmouth public schools, Miss Muriel Yenerich, sister of Mrs. Pedigo, has begun her year's work as music supervisor in the Williamsfield schools.

CHICAGO GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Roden of Chicago returned home Monday evening, after spending the Labor Day week end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Manning of South Dixon township, and Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Hart, Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Roden are sisters.

SUPPER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warner entertained at supper Saturday evening at their summer cottage in Grand Detour for Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shorey, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Garner, and the Robert Shaws.

LURLINE CLUB

Members of the Lurline club will be entertained at luncheon and bridge on Wednesday by Mrs. S. W. Lehman of Bluff park.

INDIANA GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hopkins of Rensselaer, Ind. returned home yesterday, after spending several days in Dixon as guests of her parents, the W. A. Rhodameals of Plum Hollow.

Those real old-time, home-flavor corn muffins! Tender inside, crisp outside. Make them with

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LANSING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Deusen left yesterday morning for their home in Lansing, Mich., after visiting in Dixon since Wednesday with the Donald R. Altons, who formerly resided in Lansing. On Friday evening, the Altons were entertaining with a steak supper at the White Pines Forest state park for the visitors, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shoaf, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborn, and Arthur and Malcolm Temple.

IT'S SON FOR THE PATCHETTS

A son, Griff David, was born yesterday afternoon to Flight Sgt. and Mrs. Charles D. Patchett of Biloxi, Miss. at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital. The baby's mother is the former Miss Gwendolyn J. Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Melville Hayes, and the father is stationed at Keeler field at Biloxi. Before his enlistment, Flight Sergeant Patchett was with Beier's bakery here.

DOROTHY CHAPTER

A scramble supper preceded Friday evening's meeting for Dorothy chapter, O. E. S., at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. Covers were arranged for about 50.

Card games followed the chapter session. Those sharing score favors, war stamps, were Mrs. Earl Bastian, Mrs. Roger Wilson, and Mrs. Floyd Lewis.

PALMYRA GRANGE

Members of the Palmyra Grange are to meet at their hall for a scramble supper and program at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Those attending are asked to bring their own sandwiches, sugar, and a dish to share.

SUNSHINE CLUB

Mrs. Robert Levan has invited members of the Sunshine club to her home for an all-day meeting on Thursday.

NEW ADDRESS

Mrs. A. J. Fellows and her niece, Miss Lois Fellows, moved during the week end from 706 Hennepin avenue to the Charles Redebaugh apartment at 204½ Lincoln Way.

CAMERA CLUB

Members of the Rock River Camera club will meet this evening at the home of Durward Brader.

TO WISCONSIN

Mr. and Mrs. William Shank left Monday for a vacation outing at Lake Nakomis, near Tomahawk, Wis.

IN CINCINNATI

The Misses Jane Slothower and Lorraine Wickley were week end guests of Miss Jean Turnbull of Cincinnati, Ohio.

RED CROSS

The Red Cross room at the Hotel Nachusa was open from 2 to 4 p.m. today, and will be open at the same hours tomorrow and Thursday. Those who have completed sewing or knitting are asked to turn in the articles to Mrs. Elmer Reynolds, production chairman, for shipping.

It is hoped that new materials will be received from St. Louis by next week. As soon as the shipment reaches here, the room will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

KITSONS HAVE DAUGHTER

Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kitson of LaSalle, Saturday, at St. Mary's hospital at LaSalle.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mrs. Ada B. Huyett had as guests over the Labor Day week end, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brink, Jr., recently returned from Port of Spain, Trinidad, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall DeMey of Prophetstown, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brink of Anboy, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schriener of Chadwick, Miss Dorothy Schriener of Freeport, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Suter of Delavan, Wis.

The Roy Brinks have been in Trinidad on government work for more than two years.

AT WAR SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barrowman and daughter Shirley were Sunday guests of his brother and sister-in-law, the Thomas Barrowmans of Chicago. In the evening, the quintet and the William Barrowmans, also of Chicago, attended the war show spectacle.

RURAL SUBSCRIBERS

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Calendar

Tonight

Rock River Camera club—Durward Brader, host.

Palmyra Teacher's Reading circle—At home of Mrs. Charles Dickey.

South Dixon Teacher's Reading circle—Mrs. Lee Ackert, hostess, 7:45 p.m.

Highland Avenue club—Mrs. J. B. Conroy, hostess, 7:30 p.m.

Missionary society, Church of the Brethren—Election of officers, church basement.

Young Women's Missionary society, St. Paul's church—Miss Eleanor Powell, hostess, 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday

Young Mother's club—Mrs. Carl Santee, hostess.

Past President's club, Baldwin Auxiliary—Mrs. I. M. Goodwin, hostess.

American Legion Auxiliary—In Legion hall.

Thursday

Women of Presbyterian church—Group One, Mrs. Dement Schuler, hostess; Group Two, Mrs. W. H. Ware, hostess; Group Three, Mrs. Curtis Taylor, hostess.

W. S. C. S., First Methodist church—Circle One, Mrs. J. A. Preston, hostess, 2:30 p.m.; Circle Four, Mrs. Earl Slagle, hostess.

Women's Missionary society, St. Paul's Lutheran church—In church parlors, 2:30 p.m.

Nachusa W. M. S.—Mrs. Fannie Wolf, hostess, 2 p.m.

Friday

Sunshine club—Mrs. Robert Levan, hostess.

Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—Regular meeting, 8 p.m.

W. S. C. S., First Methodist church—Circle Two, 1 o'clock co-operative luncheon at summer home of Mrs. Robert Ayres; Circle Three, Mrs. Charles Crom, hostess, 2:30 p.m.

St. Agnes Guild, St. Luke's Episcopal church—Mrs. W. W. Roat, hostess, 2:30 p.m.

Ladies' Sunshine class, Eldena church—Mrs. Joynt, hostess.

Palmyra Grange—Scramble supper at hall, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday

Commandettes—Will sponsor dance at Elks club, for benefit of USO.

American Legion Auxiliary, post, and 40 et 8—Bingo party, USO benefit.

Red Checked Gingham



Typical of fall 1942's pretty-but-prim-and-purposeful schoolroom fashion is this red checked gingham dress. Apples on skirt as well as for teacher and wearer.

FROM GRAND RAPIDS

Mrs. Estelle Osborne of Grand Rapids, Mich. arrived in Dixon on Sunday for a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, the James Osbornes of 511 Peoria avenue. En route here, she spent some time with Major and Mrs. Harrison S. Collisi at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

Decisions Are Up to Selectee, Not Parents

by RUTH MILLETT

If Uncle Sam thinks a boy is old enough to be drafted into the Army his parents ought to regard him as a man, capable of making his own decisions and handling his own affairs.

Yet, some parents can't seem to realize that.

They would not interfere in their son's business to the extent of the Iowa farmer accused of having—unknown to his son—gone to a local draft official and offered him a 50-dollar bribe if he would give the boy a deferment.

But many of them interfere in less serious ways. They try to influence the boy's choice of which service he will enter. That isn't right, for it is the boy and not his Dad or Mother who will have to do the fighting. And he ought to be allowed to decide where he wants to be without their putting any "We just couldn't bear to have you in the air corps" restrictions on his choice.

Parents' Remarks

Nor should they urge that he try to find a safe berth for himself. He may be the type who would

always regret not getting in the real fight.

And they shouldn't try to use pull—if they think they have some—to get the boy a commission.

It is hard on his pride, too, if they go around making remarks that give people the idea they think their son is any better than any other soldier or that it would be any worse for him to be sent across than for any other boy.

If he is 21 or older their son is a man and they should stay in the background while he assumes a man's responsibility for defending his country.

They don't do him any service when they try to assume part of his responsibility.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Florence Plummer Stafford of San Antonio, who recently submitted to a major operation, is recovering satisfactorily.

Dr. Z. W. Moss and F. X. Newcomer attended the Ogle county fair at Oregon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tegeler and daughters, Jane and Judy were among those from Dixon attending the Ogle county fair at Oregon, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Rosbrook, who has been very ill with asthma, left last week for Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Rosbrook expects to follow later and they will establish a permanent residence at that place owing to the condition of Mrs. Rosbrook's health.

Mrs. A. Busher, a resident of Honolulu, Hawaii for several years, who has been the guest of Mrs. Zoe Osborn Latham for a few days, has gone to Chicago for a visit. Mrs. Busher was in Honolulu on Dec. 7 during the Japanese raid and had much of interest to relate which has not been published.

Miss Helen Murphy returned to her work in the circulation department of The Telegraph this morning, following a two weeks' vacation.

Allen Fane, manager of the National Tea market, is seeking relief from hay fever while vacationing at Harbor Springs, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Bryan expect to return to Elgin this week to make their home.

Karl Forsberg spent the week end in Chicago and attended the War Show.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bovey spent the week end and holiday visiting in Chicago.

Arthur Lockwood and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Lockwood and daughter, Sandra Lee, of Maywood spent Sunday with Mrs. Onie Alexander and W. W. Wooley.

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A Thought for Today
And some fell among thorns; and the
thorns sprang up with it, and choked it.
—Luke 8:7.
Thou canst mould him into any shape
like soft clay.—Horace.

Must We Have Inflation
Is inflation inevitable? Undoubtedly. Since we
have it already, it would seem much too late to
avoid having it.
The daily index of spot market prices, compiled
by the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the first week
in August, was up 67 per cent—two-thirds—above
the August, 1939, level.
The cost of living for July, as computed by the
National Industrial Conference Board, was up al-
most 10 per cent above July of 1941.
The price of manufactured goods, reported by
the Alexander Hamilton Institute, last March al-
ready was up 24 per cent above August of 1939.
All of that, and much more of similar purport,
denote inflation just like the rising mercury in a
thermometer indicates warmth.

But as yet inflation has not become distressing.
There are those who make a convincing argument
that much of the inflation thus far is not damaging,
provided the brakes are put on promptly.

As a result of the depression, prices had fallen
so low that the administration deliberately devalued
money, in an effort to force inflation. Temporarily
the effect was small. Now the war has accom-
plished just about what Washington tried to do.

Moreover, realistic economists argue that in
time of war some measure of inflation is inevitable,
and that we should worry only if inflation gets out
from under control and begins to feed upon itself.

It is not the fact that some inflation could not
be avoided, or even the fact that considerable in-
flation has taken place, that should trouble us now.
The danger, if effective permanent measures
are not taken soon enough, is that inflation will go
on in a spiral until our economy is upset.

Not only the industrial and commercial econ-
omy. The menace is equally to the household and
personal economies of every family.

If such a thing happens, the poor will suffer
more than the wealthy. In inflation, wages always
lag behind prices, and the closer a family comes to
a hand-to-mouth existence, the less it can afford
to have prices always going up faster than income.

Also, the poorer a family, the closer it must
figure its savings against emergencies, and the
harder it is hit when the emergencies arrive and
disclose that, because of inflation, the savings have
become inadequate to buy what they were intended
to buy.

WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

BY RENE RYERSON MART

BACK TO WORK
CHAPTER XV

SHE could pretend to herself—and nearly succeed in believ-
ing—that she was doing matter-
of-factly an errand that had to
be done. Her month's rent on the
Arlington apartment was up, and
she had to hand over the key.

But her heart wasn't fooled by
this elaborate self-justification. It
was singing because she was going
to see Hank Holliday again very
shortly—and maybe a miracle
would happen. Maybe, somehow,
fate at last smiling on her, would
make it possible for her to go on
seeing Hank although her truant
month was over.

She went into the apartment
that had been her home for three
happy weeks, and packed her
clothes and looked around to see
that everything in the apartment
was just as it had been when she
had rented it. Then she set her
bags out in the hall, locked the
door, and went down the corridor
to Hank Holliday's apartment.

She pressed his doorbell and
waited, her blood pounding diz-
zily in her head. But the door
didn't open, and Hank didn't smile
at her from the threshold. There
was no sound at all from within
his apartment.

Enid pressed the bell again with
some urgency. The possibility of
his not being at home simply
hadn't occurred to her. In the
silence she heard footsteps shuf-
fling up the back stairs toward
the apartment, and the next moment
Jim, the janitor, appeared in the
rear of the corridor.

He grinned as he recognized
Enid. "Oh, it's you, Miz Sharon.
The doctor's not here."

"Oh—" Enid's voice was limp.
It meant that she wasn't going
to see Hank, at least not tonight,
and for a moment she couldn't
think beyond the disappointment
of that.

Jim came up to her and she
handed him the key mechanically.
"I'm moving," she explained.
"Here's the apartment key. Will
you give it to the doctor?"

"He don't been askin' me where
you bin this last week," Jim vol-
unteered cheerfully.

"My father and mother met
with an accident," she said absent-
mindedly. "I've been with them."

"Wait a minute," she said
briskly, reaching a decision. She
delivered in her purse, found a mem-
orandum book, tore out a sheet,
and began to write. "I'll leave my
new address with you, Jim, in case
any mail comes here for me."
It was a lame excuse but better
than none. Of course, there
wouldn't be any mail for her, she
knew that, for none of her friends

How to Check Inflation

President Roosevelt has described a complete
and workable formula to check inflation. Last April
he outlined a seven-point program, in a message to
Congress. These were his recommendations:

1. Tax heavily, to keep personal and corporate
profits low.
2. Fix ceilings on prices.
3. Stabilize salaries and wages.
4. Stabilize the prices paid farmers for their
produce.
5. Divert individual income from spending to
the purchase of war bonds.
6. Ration all scarce commodities, both for equit-
able distribution and to prevent auction prices from
being established.
7. Discourage credit and installment buying,
encourage the payment of debts, mortgages and
other obligations.

That program leaves out no important measure,
and includes nothing which is not important.
Nevertheless, inflation has proceeded since that
time too fast for the mental comfort of those who
look ahead to tomorrow. Why?

Because so many of the President's wise words
have remained only lines of printing in newspaper
columns. They have not been translated into effective
action.

We are being taxed heavily, but not heavily
enough and far from wisely.
Ceilings have been fixed on prices. But this
was only a stopgap. Unless the rest of the program
is effectuated, price ceilings can not avail much
longer.

Salaries and wages have not been stabilized.
The stabilization point for farm prices was
set so high that it constituted a goal rather than
a ceiling. Secretary Wickard now concedes that the
110-per cent-of-parity scheme is fallacious.

War bonds are being sold. But far too many
of them are going to banks, where they create new
credit which contributes to the inflation we want
to halt.

Credit and installment buying have been dis-
courage. Payment of debts has not been encour-
aged. There is no provision by which the person
who needs Mr. Roosevelt and pays debts can get
credit against his tax bill. On the contrary, many
feel that if they leave their debts, and inflation con-
tinues, they will be able to pay off with cheaper
money.

We can check inflation by doing what Presi-
dent Roosevelt advises.

Island-Jumping

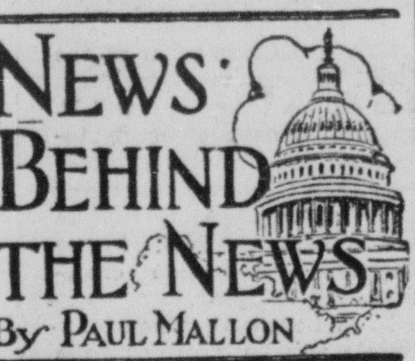
Washington has not seen fit, thus far, to give
full details regarding the Solomon Islands offensive.
Presumably the action still is in a phase such that
the public can not be informed without aiding the
Japs.

One may, however, express belief that the
strategists have not fallen into the error of trying
to recapture, island by island, what the Nipponese
have seized. That would be a waste of time and
lives. The way to beat Japan is to go after Japan
itself.

The present successes of the Chinese and the
renewed threat of a Japanese attack against Rus-
sia apparently bring closer the day when there will
be available bases from which can be launched the
final, all-out air attacks that will crush Tokyo.

When that is done the far-flung tentacle will not
have to be cut off one at a time. They will die
with the body—Japan proper.

A complete explanation of the



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Washington.—What's the mat-
ter with Washington?, is the first
question asked by everyone who
gets off the train here, and no
doubt by citizens out in the coun-
try. Is Nelson really capable of
doing the job?, is the second.

The answers have been so obvi-
ous in the news dispatches lately,
the country should understand the
situation fully by now.

The WPE reorganization is be-
ing complicated by too many
groups and too many people here
who are trying to carry on a revo-
lution at the same time as the
war.

It cannot be done. These groups
will have to give up their revolu-
tionary ambitions or the nation
may have to give up the war.

Look at the headlines of the
past few days!
"Labor Demands Nelson Give
It Control of WPE."

There is the whole story, told
in one of its simplest phases.
Mind you, this "labor" of
the headlines is not the 50-
000,000 workers of the coun-
try, but the less than 10,000,
000 represented in AFL and
CIO. They want control of
war production.

So do the new dealers, the rad-
icals, the business men, the polit-
icians, the Army, although there are
few headlines about their activity,
as they are not as brazen in their
desires.

No one seems to be shouting for
the only thing the country needs
—the most efficient possible con-
trol, the cessation of all this revo-
lutionary activity by special
groups trying to get the upper
hand over business.

Nelson is a strong man, possibly
not Hercules, but Hercules himself
would have trouble in this situa-
tion. He told congressmen he
would not accede to the request
of the unions to have business de-
livered into their hands, but he
indicated he would give the unions
added authority.

Obviously this is not to be done
because anyone thinks union lead-
ers can run business any better
than business men, but because
their power is feared.

How strong Nelson is, will only
become known as he works out
his reorganization.

Fall of Stalingrad has been re-

kind of administration this pic-
ayune chicanery leads to, is
shown in a letter I received from
an editor friend in a small town
down south. He wrote me about
an experience he had there with
the government in what he con-
sidered to be a small way, but
which actually holds a mirror up
to Washington.

This editor's small newspaper
plant is in a one-story building,
with a section adjoining which
was formerly used as a doctor's
office. He did not want to ask the
doctor to leave, but wanted the
space, and planned to take it
when the doctor was called to
war. But when the doctor left,
members of the local rationing
board came in, saying it was the
only spot in town meeting their
needs. They asked for rent.

My friend said the rent was \$35
a month, but they could have it
for whatever they could afford to
pay and he would put the money
into war bonds—if they could pay
anything. They moved in, borrow-
ing some desks and chairs from
him.

Three months later a letter
came from the OPA in Atlanta
asking the editor was it true he
was willing to rent an office to
the local rationing board. He
wrote back it was quite true.
Two weeks later came another
letter from Atlanta asking the
exact floor space, how many
rooms, whether separate toilet fa-
cilities were provided men and
women.

The staff consisted of three un-
paid board members and two girls,
so my friend replied with some
dignity, that while there was only
one washroom, the men were very
highly regarded in the community,
but if Atlanta considered it es-
sential he would let them use his.

A couple more weeks passed
before another letter came from
Atlanta explaining the corres-
pondence had reference to 900
square feet of floor space in a
one-story brick building at a cer-
tain address (they had the ad-
dress right at least). It went on
to say a lease could not be pre-
pared until they had the name or
a description of the building, and
asked specifically what floor (in
the one-story building) the offices
were on.

Well the building never had a
name, but my friend thought this
was a good time to christen it so
he named it after his newspaper
and so informed Atlanta, he says
"not too politely."

The climax came just before he
wrote me. The Atlanta OPA
wrote him a stern, stilted legal
letter asking him to send in
monthly invoices for \$35 signed
in triplicate, containing the fol-
lowing signed statement:

"I certify that the above bill is
correct and just, that payment
thereof has not been received;
that all statutory requirements as
to American production and labor
standards, and all conditions of
purchase applicable to the trans-
action have been complied with,
and that state or local sales taxes
are not included in the amounts
billed."

That, in short, is also what the
matter with Washington.

Wendell Willkie's mysterious
hop to the Middle East, with a lot
of secret letters from President
Roosevelt, is easy to understand,
if you fit together his itinerary
and his opening remarks on ar-
riving in Egypt.

He did not go directly to Stalin
but arranged stops in Egypt,
Iran, Iraq and even Turkey—
strategic points in the next big
battle. He had to penetrate the
Caucasus. What Willkie said
when he arrived in Cairo was
that we will win the war, not be
isolated after it is over, and
that Hitler has now reached the
peak of his power.

Churchill traveled just about
the same road with fewer stops
earlier, but British prophecies are
not so highly regarded in that

garded as inevitable for some
days, but the Russians have ex-
pected to take a Sevastopol price
for it.

The Reds held out for weeks,
you remember, at their Black Sea
naval base, in the face of a mili-
tary situation, even more desper-
ate than that confronting them in
the bend of the Volga. They piled
German dead upon every inch of
lost ground.

The story of Stalingrad is sim-
ply too much concentration of
German firepower.

When the nazis worked them-
selves around to the north of the
city, and then to the south, they
were able to pour unprecedented
fire into the Reds from three
sides, and sprinkle it heavily over
the head with the hardest dive-
bombing attacks of this war. They
could pulverize practically
everything except the stout fight-
ing Russian hearts.

But the unknown and govern-
ing factor is the condition of the
German and Japanese arms and
nations.

We had many reports of their
internal weaknesses earlier in the
war, and presumably still are get-
ting them, but we have come to
place no confidence in them, since
our initial optimism proved un-
justified.

Nevertheless, the toll of the
Russian campaign must have cut
deep into Hitler's strength.

It just does not show on the
surface, because the Russians are
also woefully weak. At Stalingrad
for instance, the Reds were un-
able to produce tanks and
planes to come anywhere near
matching the Germans.

Thus the chance that Hitler
and Tojo eventually may have ev-
erything their own way, from the
Volga eastward to the Pacific,
must be balanced against the un-
specific but encouraging factor of
both German and Jap losses.

Every German killed and Stalin-
grad will make that much easier
the establishment of the coming
second front.

So now the Kelly crowd is go-
ing to use the name of the man
they defeated, as a hero for the
Negro cause in Chicago to offset
Brooks. Politics takes quite
some figurin' sometimes.

Deaths

Suburban—
JOHN E. ROARK
John E. Roark, 65, well known
employee of the Chicago & North-
Western Railroad for many years,
the last four on the Nelson-Ster-
ling switching crew, died sudden-
ly at his home, 705 Avenue C,
Sterling, at 8:00 o'clock Monday
evening, death being the result of
a heart attack, suffered after he
had returned home from working
all day. Funeral arrangements
were incomplete at noon and will
be announced later.

He was born in Sterling and had
lived there all of his life. He
started as a brakeman for the
NorthWestern and had worked as
a conductor for about 30 years
and the last several years he had
been yardmaster.

Survivors include his widow,
Helen E. Roark; a daughter,
Mary Sue at home; a son, John E.
Roark, Jr., a member of the Royal
Canadian air force and a brother,
Leo Roark, secretary of the
Peoria Chamber of Commerce.
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Hold Everything



"Hello, Washington? Why
haven't we been given any war
orders?"

quarter of the world by the na-
tives and their rulers.

Willkie, as titular head of the
opposition party in this country,
carries great weight there be-
cause anything he says, to back
up Roosevelt's promises, makes
them appear to be unanimously
adopted. American decision.

He should be able to offset the
nazi propaganda, which has been
playing up internal political dif-
ferences in this country, and the
history of British promises in the
Near East.

Northern Democratic polit-
icians considered it a shame the
way Republican Senator Brooks
of Illinois, stole credit for elimi-
nating the poll tax restriction on
soldier voting in the south. They
knew the wily Republican leader
McNary had put Brooks up to
this smothering. Democrat

So now the Kelly crowd is go-
ing to use the name of the man
they defeated, as a hero for the
Negro cause in Chicago to offset
Brooks. Politics takes quite
some figurin' sometimes.

Deaths

Suburban—
JOHN E. ROARK
John E. Roark, 65, well known
employee of the Chicago & North-
Western Railroad for many years,
the last four on the Nelson-Ster-
ling switching crew, died sudden-
ly at his home, 705 Avenue C,
Sterling, at 8:00 o'clock Monday
evening, death being the result of
a heart attack, suffered after he
had returned home from working
all day. Funeral arrangements
were incomplete at noon and will
be announced later.

He was born in Sterling and had
lived there all of his life. He
started as a brakeman for the
NorthWestern and had worked as
a conductor for about 30 years
and the last several years he had
been yardmaster.

Survivors include his widow,
Helen E. Roark; a daughter,
Mary Sue at home; a son, John E.
Roark, Jr., a member of the Royal
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ficiating and with interment in
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Metz was born in Champaign
county, July 27, 1920 and had
been a resident of Lee county for
several years. Surviving are her
husband, one son, Merle; her
mother, Mrs. Ada Jeanguenat of
Ashton; two sisters, Mrs. Mary
Bisbee of Memphis, Tenn., and
Mrs. Frances Williams of Rock-
ford, and six brothers: Albert of
Washington, D. C., Hugh of
Leonard, N. Dak., George of
Freeport, Henry of Ashton, Jo-
seph of Dixon and Herbert of
Camp Forrest, Tenn.
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JOHN STROYAN
(Telegraph Special Service)
Paw Paw, Sept. 8.—The funeral
of John Stroyan, 60, who was
found dead in the yard at his farm
home south of Paw Paw Satur-
day, was held at 2:30 o'clock this
afternoon at the Torman funeral
home, with the Rev. Herman
Meyer, pastor of the Baptist
church, officiating. Burial was in
Wyoming cemetery.

Mr. Stroyan is survived by two
brothers, Peter of Davenport and
William of DeKalb; two sisters,
Mrs. Charles Buchanan of Paw
Paw and Mrs. Guy Lily of Kan-
sas City, Mo.; one daughter,
Mrs. Oscar Eich of Paw Paw.

Funerals

Suburban—
JOHN WACASTER
(Telegraph Special Service)
Mount Morris, Sept. 8.—Funeral
services for John Newton Wacaster,
82, who died Sunday at the Deaconess
hospital in Freeport, will be held
Wednesday at 2 p. m., at the Finch
funeral home. Burial will be in
Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Wacaster was born in
Mitchell county, North Carolina,
Sept. 21, 1860. He was married to
Miss Catherine Lawson of Ten-
nessee in 1895.

Survivors include the widow;
two sons, H. M. Wacaster of Chi-
cago and R. C. Wacaster of De-
troit; two daughters, Mrs. C. E.
Nalling and Mrs. Frank Meyers,
both of Leaf River and three
grandchildren.

Lodges and Patriotic Orders

Picnic—Members of Townsend
club No. 2 have arranged a picnic
supper for Wednesday evening at
Harry Herbst's cottage at White
Rock. The bus will leave at 6
o'clock from the corner of First
street and Hennepin avenue. Pic-
nic rules will be observed.

Legion Auxiliary—Members of
the American Legion Auxiliary
will meet Wednesday evening at
the Legion hall. Business of spe-
cial significance will be discussed.

Births

(At Katherine Shaw Betha
hospital)
SCHAFER: A son, born Fri-
day to Mr. and Mrs. John Schaf-
er of Franklin Grove.

Tews: A daughter, born to-
day to Mr. and Mrs. Tews of Ash-
ton.

WILLARD: A daughter, born
today to Mr. and Mrs. Galen
Willard of Dixon.

Liberty cannot survive when one
body makes, judges, and adminis-
ters the laws.

Debts and taxes impair our lib-
erties in the same proportion as
they increase.

To Relieve Distress of MONTHLY FEMALE WEAKNESS

due to functional periodic distur-
bances—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Com-
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Also fine stomachic tonic! Follow
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WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

BY RENE RYERSON MART

SAD DECISION
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WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

CARDS AND DODGERS BOTH SPLIT KEEPING MARGIN AT 2 1/2 GAMES



Local boys made good Sunday when pro Ralph Stonehouse and amateur Ken Detweiler scored a 3 up victory over John Vrona and Snowball Jorowski in a USO benefit golf exhibition at the Dixon Country club.

Ken and Ralph, who had a best ball score of 31, each carded 35 over the 9 hole route. Vrona, Oregon pro, was one over with 36 which was one stroke better than Snowball, Rochelle pro, could fire.

The sixty-five spectators at the match contributed \$41.65 to the USO. Six girls dressed as cadettes and traveling under the name of "cadettes" took up the collection.

GAME WANTED

"No-Hit" Anderson suffered a slight relapse at Walnut Sunday but his Deer Grove teammates dug up two runs for him in the ninth inning to give him a 5-4 victory. Anderson, who had pitched a perfect game against Tampico the previous Sabbath, was nicked for 7 hits by the Walnut boys, 2 more than his mates could garner off the offerings of Dewey. However, he fanned 15, which partly compensated for the nine errors his backers made. Dewey whiffed 11 while the Walnut fielders made only one mis-play. This Deer Grove crew, that has won four games while losing once this season, would like to schedule a game with the Dixon Junior American Legion team a week from Sunday. How about it, Pete?

KEN DEFENDS TITLE

"Money player" Ken some of the boys call him. Detweiler fired a 67 on the Dixon Country club course early this spring and then proceeded to rest on his laurels. When the Lincoln Highway meet was held here early in July, Ken was expected to come out of it with a tournament record. Instead he finished with the field and Ric Lahti of DeKaab set a new mark.

However, Sunday Ken was on the line to defend his local club championship, a perennial job of his, and the results were quite different. Over the double holiday he turned back two challengers with the greatest of ease to advance to the third round of play.

His first opponent, George Bishop who was substituting for the injured George Joyce, was downed 6 and 5. Then Mark Keller tasted the bitter dregs of defeat at the hands of Detweiler, 3 and 2.

Ken's fourth round opponent has not yet let himself be known but Ken is a pretty good bet to successfully retain his crown.

Other A flight tournament results showed Lee Shoaf advanced to the second round when L. Y. Peterson defaulted. Mark Keller moved into his match with Detweiler on the strength of his 6 and 5 win over Dale Senneff last week. Ray Wilbur was a 1 up victor over Don Raymond in the week-end of play. In his second round, Wilbur scored a 2 and 1 decision over Harold Green.

In the B flight action, it was a win and a loss for the Myers boys. Peeewe was a 2 and 1 victim of Pete Faber while Lyle got the nod over Bob Feldkirchner, 3 and 2.

The consolation flight play was restricted to the Senneff-Bishop match with Senneff winning, 3 and 2.

PLUM HOLLOW TOURNAMENT

Drawings have been made and pairings announced so the Plum Hollow Golf club championship matches commence today. Em Rorer and Abe Martin, defending champs in classes A and B, respectively, were exempted from qualifying and each drew a bye in the first round. Elmer Myers, last year's titlist in Class C, is not competing this year.

Class A pairings, all those who qualified with scores between 72-82, are as follows: Fred Reiser-Earl Peltton, Thomas Brady-Al Widenratt, Les Brotherton-William Hicks, and Ed Gronas-R. A. Parker.

Class B pairings, qualifiers with 83-92, are: John Clayton-James Palmer, Bert Meeks-Don Bowers, L. N. Magnuson-C. J. Elliott, Elvin Wadsworth-Russell Brown, Al Wolfe-Harold Rorer.

Class C, 93 and up: John Petch-James Reiter, Herb Lewis-Henry Jensen, Ralph Barlow-J. K. Palmer, Dewey Adolph-Rube Winebrenner, George Merriman-Harvey Schofield, Charles Kearney-C. Thompson, B. L. Robinson, Jr.-Clyde Emmert, Cy Winebrenner-William La Fever, Les Ommen-Carl Becker, H. D. Tousey-Frank Rossiter, Art Vick-H. Cinamon, B. L. Robinson, Sr.-C. Witzleb, Ray Getchell-Mark Smith, Jack Mansell-W. G. McMullen, L. H. McClendon-Amos Conby, E. T. Johnson-F. McCollum, Roy Glessner-Frank Wilson, Charles Cramer-Joseph Villiger, Clyde Yount-Cliff Moran, George Lebre-F. D. Wilson, Wilson Reilly-Roy Carlston, K. McKay-C. Vroegindewey, W. H. Rhodamel-F. L. Mayer, and William R. Frye-Don Emmert.

HUMILIATING

Boston, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Brooklyn's league leading Dodgers didn't exactly enjoy dropping the second game of the Labor day doubleheader to the Boston Braves but what hurt them the most was that the victory was hurled by the National league's "losingest" pitcher, Jim Tobin.

Tobin has lost 19 games this season and won 11.

Kansas City Wins in A.A.

Beats Out Brewers for Title; Playoffs Will Start Tomorrow

Team	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Kansas City	81	69	.540	1 1/2
Milwaukee	82	72	.532	2 1/2
Columbus	78	76	.506	6 1/2
Louisville	76	78	.494	8 1/2
Minneapolis	76	78	.494	8 1/2
Indianapolis	76	78	.494	8 1/2
St. Paul	57	97	.370	27 1/2

Chicago, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Out of a pell-mell finish in the American Association pennant race Kansas City emerges the winner—and immediately faces a lot more of the same kind of baseball in the playoffs which will decide the league's representative in the little World Series.

Kansas City, Milwaukee, Columbus, and Toledo will enter the double-barreled windup tomorrow, with only one day of rest after a whirlwind final dash down the pennant path.

Kansas City was forced to scrap right up to the last game before making off with the championship. The Blues defeated Milwaukee, 9-2, yesterday and ended the Brewers' attempt to grab the flag on the closing day of play.

Columbus, which also had a chance to tie for the pennant, folded before Toledo twice yesterday, 6 to 0 and 5 to 4. The Mudhens thereby climbing out of fifth place into a playoff berth.

The best-of-seven semi-final playoff series will send Columbus to Kansas City and Toledo to Milwaukee tomorrow. After three games the sites will switch to Columbus and Toledo on Saturday. The survivors will meet in a final seven-game series.

Rookie Wins

Chicago	ab	r	h	p	a
Hack, 3b	4	0	0	2	1
Cavarretta, 1b	4	0	1	1	0
Novikoff, rf	4	1	1	1	0
Nicholson, lf	4	2	0	0	0
Dallessandro, cf	4	0	0	3	0
Scheffing, c	3	0	1	0	0
Merullo, ss	2	0	0	3	3
Russell, p	1	0	0	0	0
Sturgeon, 2b	4	0	1	4	1
Lee, p	2	0	0	0	4
Total	30	1	6	24	10

Cincinnati	ab	r	h	p	a
Frey, 2b	4	0	2	3	4
Goldman, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Marshall, cf	4	0	1	4	0
F. McCormick, 1b	4	0	0	9	0
Tipton, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Haas, 3b	3	0	0	1	0
West, c	3	1	1	3	0
Joost, ss	4	0	1	4	4
Walters, p	3	1	1	0	0
Total	30	3	7	27	11

Russell batted for Merullo in ninth.

Chicago.....000 001 000-1 Cincinnati.....001 001 10-3

Error—Joost. Runs batted in—Dallessandro, Frey, Marshall, Joost. Two base hit—West. Three base hits—Frey, Marshall, Stolen bases—Cavarretta, Scheffing, Sacrifices—Lee, Goodman. Double plays—Haas to Frey to McCormick; Frey to Joost to McCormick; Walters to Joost to McCormick. Left on bases—Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 4. Bases on balls—Walters, 3. Struck out—Lee, 2; Walters, 2. Umpires—Pinelli, Ballanfant, and Barlick. Time—1:37.

SECOND GAME

Chicago	ab	r	h	p	a
Gilbert, cf	5	1	1	4	0
Cavarretta, 1b	2	1	1	2	0
Fox, 1b	1	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, lf	3	2	2	1	0
Dallessandro, rf	3	0	0	2	0
Stringer, 2b	4	0	2	3	0
Block, 3b	4	0	2	3	0
Merullo, ss	3	0	1	5	1
Hernandez, c	2	0	1	4	0
Wyse, p	2	0	0	0	0
Bithorn, p	1	0	0	0	0
Total	30	5	9	27	8

Cincinnati	ab	r	h	p	a
Frey, 2b	5	1	1	3	2
Goldman, rf	4	1	1	2	0
Marshall, cf	4	1	1	1	0
F. McCormick, 1b	4	0	1	8	3
Kelleher, lf	4	0	1	1	0
Haas, 3b	4	0	1	1	2
Lamanno, c	4	0	0	9	1
Joost, ss	4	0	0	2	1
Vander Meer, p	2	0	0	3	0
Tipton, lf	1	0	1	0	0
Beggs, p	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	3	8	27	12

Batted for Vander Meer in 8th. West batted for Beggs in 9th. Chicago.....100 100 030-5 Cincinnati.....000 000 030-3 Errors—Merullo, Block. Runs batted in—Nicholson, Block, Merullo, Stringer (3), Goodman, F. McCormick, Haas. Sacrifices—Wyse, Dallessandro, Hernandez. Two base hits—Block, Stringer, Goodman. Three base hits—Cavarretta, Frey, Kelleher. Double play—Vander Meer to Frey to McCormick. Left on bases—Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 7. Struck out—Vander Meer, 8; Wyse, 1; Bithorn, 2. Bases on balls—Vander Meer, 3. Hits—Wyse, 8 in 7 1/2 innings; Bithorn, none in 1 1/2; Vander Meer 8 in 8 1/2; Beggs, 1 in 1. Winning pitcher—Wyse. Losing pitcher—Vander Meer. Time—2:20. Umpires—Ballanfant, Barlick, and Pinelli. Attendance—7,788.

Big Ten Is Ready to Go in Football

All Nine Schools Have Opened Practice Sessions

Chicago, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Minnesota... Illinois... Northwestern... Michigan... Ohio State—the roll is complete. The entire Big Ten is now assembled and ready for business.

Thus the last five get down to work for the longest, fullest campaign in Big Ten history. In the five squads that joined ranks with the rest of the circuit yesterday were three of championship caliber, the Gophers of Minnesota, the Wildcats of Northwestern, the Wolverines of Michigan.

Yet here's what they saw as they glanced at the boys previously in line: Indiana, going through its first heavy scrimmage... Iowa, welcoming back a player who's already had time to get in Dr. Eddie Anderson's doghouse and out again... Purdue, enjoying the sight of its Bob Chester, Bob Hajjyk and Kenny Smock booting punts in mid-season form... Wisconsin, seeing Pat Harder toss away the crutches he's been using to ease an ankle injury suffered last week.

Two-Day Practices

But the five late-comers will have plenty of opportunity to catch up as far as conditioning is concerned. Ray Elliot, Illinois' new coach, promises twice-a-day workouts for a while. Lynn Waldorf warns Northwestern of more of the same. Dr. George Hauser, pinch driving for Bernie Bierman at Minnesota, tells his lads they've a reputation to uphold—and must practice accordingly.

Fritz Crisler sorts over 58 Michigan candidates, eying his 13 returning lettermen (including Tom Kuzma) and wondering who else he can pull out of the crowd for stardom. Paul Brown gets a surprise at Ohio State's initial drill when Bill Taylor, a fine sophomore tackle prospect, unexpectedly appears after having missed spring practice.

Indiana and Purdue are a little ahead of all the others. Bo McMillin of the Hoosiers expects to hold his first practice game a week from tomorrow—and hopes Lou Saban will continue to sparkle at quarterback like he did in yesterday's scrimmage. Elmer Burnham, Purdue's new head man, will match his varsity against the "B" team in a full-length game Saturday.

Rudy Mucha Back Prospect

Lieut. Col. Bierman of the Iowa Seahawks saw enough in yesterday's scrimmage, to single out halfbacks Bill Schatzer of North Central college and George Benson of Northwestern for fine offensive play and guard Wilford Drole of Arizona state and end Matt Bolger of Notre Dame for excellent work on defense.

Lieut. Paul (Tony) Hinkle of Great Lakes was still worried enough over ragged work in Saturday's scrimmage to spend considerable time scolding the sailors for their mistakes. He eyed Rudy Mucha, former Washington center, and Bill Crawford, former Texas Christian guard, as possible backfield material.

At Notre Dame, Frank Leahy noted with mingled concern and satisfaction the mounting toll of casualties—seven backfield men but none seriously laid up—as a sign his toughening campaign is being felt throughout the Irish camp.

League Leaders

(By The Associated Press) AMERICAN LEAGUE Batting—Williams, Boston, .352; Pesky, Boston, and Gordon, New York, .351.

Duns—Williams, Boston, 122; DiMaggio, New York, 110. Runs batted in—Williams, Boston, 125; DiMaggio and Keller, New York, 100.

Hits—Pesky, Boston, and Spence, Washington, 184; Williams, Boston, and DiMaggio, New York, 168.

Doubles—DiMaggio, Boston, and Cliff, St. Louis, 37; Kolloway, Chicago, 35.

Triples—DiMaggio, New York, 13; Spence, Washington, and Heath, Cleveland, 12.

Home runs—Williams, Boston, 30; Keller, New York, 25. Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 37; Vernon, Washington, 22.

Pitching—Borowy, New York, 14-3; Chandler, New York, 15-4.

Willie Pep and Frankie Franconeri. New and welcome names.

After the Match Is Over



Conducting a post mortem on the exhibition match which they have just played is (L. to R.) John Vrona, Oregon pro, Stan Jorowski, Rochelle pro, Ken Detweiler, Dixon amateur, and Ralph Stonehouse, local pro. Ken and Ralph paired to defeat the out-of-towners in a USO benefit exhibition Sunday 3 up.

FAILURE TO POST \$50,000 COSTS SUGAR TITLE BOUT

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Service Staff Editor

New York, Sept. 8.—Seated smack dab ringside when Specialist First Class Freddie Cochrane squares off for a 10-rounder with Fritz Zivic at Madison Square Garden, Sept. 10, will be Ray Robinson.

Robinson generally is considered the best welter alive. He is unbeaten. He knocked out Zivic.

So why, you ask, is not Robinson of Harlem in there pitching for the title?

Let Willie Gilzenberg, manager of Sailor Red Cochrane, explain: "Cochrane will get \$50,000 when he defends the championship he won from Zivic, July 29, 1941. He fought for \$200 and \$300 purses for eight years, got there the hard way, is entitled to a piece of change.

"Robinson twice ran out on us. I have a contract with Mike Jacobs guaranteeing Cochrane \$50,000 for boxing Robinson at 147 pounds. Kurt Horrmann, who manages Robinson, was to take 60 per cent and pay us, but Promoter Jacobs called the whole thing off when he failed to put up the collateral.

"Then we offered to take on Robinson in a non-title match provided there was no hemming and having about the weight, Robinson agreed and then suddenly decided he could not come in at more than 147 pounds. He has been weighing about 145. So we are giving Zivic the return match to which he is entitled."

Zivic Boxing Well

Cochrane's title will not be at stake in his second edition with Zivic, of course. Zivic agrees to scale not less than 148. He has been weighing around 150. Cochrane, who weighed 142 1/2 when he scaled the heights a year ago this past summer, expects to weigh 146.

Although Zivic has been boxing well of late, practically everybody likes Cochrane, whose physical training work in the Navy has kept him in shape. In three starts since the last Zivic engagement, Cochrane toppled Lew Jenkins four or five times at the Garden, beat Bobby Britton in Miami and dropped a highly debatable decision to Marine Garvey Young in Boston.

Cochrane said he knew how to fight Zivic the first time—and he did. He contends Zivic is tough only when an opponent permits himself to be maneuvered. He promises to again lug the trouble to the Pittsburgher. He did this for 155 rounds the first trip, so there is no reason to believe he can't do it for 10.

Cochrane was given a furlough for the match because the United Service Organizations get 15 per cent off the top.

The show is expected to attract something like 16,000 persons and \$50,000 at from \$1.15 to \$7.75 for a variety of reasons.

There has been talk of the pair meeting again since the Hillside, N. J. pub proprietor surprised everybody but himself by lifting the laurel wreath at Ruppert Stadium, Newark.

Figures show Zivic to be the most magnetic Garden attraction outside of the heavyweights. This probably is Cochrane's last appearance for the duration. He has been ordered to Pearl Harbor.

Connecticut Follows Pep

Willie Pep will bring down a sizable delegation from Connecticut. This Hartford feather is undefeated in 48 engagements, boxed Bobby (Poison) Ivy before a \$25,000 gate in his old home town the other night. This time in an eight-round semi-final he tackles Frankie Franconeri of Bayonne, who has lost only once in 28 outings.

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YESTERDAY'S STARS

(By The Associated Press) Dolph Camilli, Dodgers, and Jim Tobin, Braves—Former hit first inning homer with two aboard to help win first game and latter pitched three-hit ball for seven innings to take nightcap.

Lou Finney, Red Sox—Drove in five runs with triple and two singles against Senators.

Bucky Walters, Reds, and Lou Stringer, Cubs—Walters pitched six-hit ball in first game for 13th victory and Stringer settled second game with three-run double in eighth inning.

Bill Lohman and Bob Carpenter—Phil's former allowing five hits and latter four. Ed Stewart, Pirates, and Frank Crespi, Cardinals—Former, climaxed 11-run rally by hitting triple with two on in first game and latter made three hits to lead attack in second game.

Yanks Sweep Twin Bill at Philadelphia

Red Sox Down Senators; Cubs Split With Cincinnati

By JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Staff Writer The Brooklyn Dodgers and St. Louis Cardinals are giving the National league its typical tight finish, but both clubs seem likely to stay within the speed limit in their race down the stretch.

Both teams looked tired and wobbly in dividing Labor day doubleheaders and kept the margin between them unchanged at 2 1/2 games.

Yesterday at Boston Curt Davis was removed after three innings although Dolph Camilli had given him a three-run lead with his 22nd homer in the first frame. The Dodgers ultimately won 11-4 with a six-run spurge in the fourth frame, but Rookie Les Webber received the credit.

Then in the nightcap Buck Newsom lasted less than six innings and was charged with the 5-3 loss. Pete Reiser, the staggering batting champ, was removed for a pinchhitter in the first game, but broke his slump with three hits off Jim Tobin in the second affair.

The Cardinals showed the extent of their reaction to pressure by letting the Pittsburgh Pirates score 11 runs after two were out in the sixth inning of the first game. The Pirates won 11-6 but the Cards came back battling to take the nightcap 6-4. Johnny Beasley notched his 19th win in the second game.

In the American league, the New York Yankees swept a doubleheader from the Philadelphia Athletics and gained half a game on the Boston Red Sox, who won the one encounter that escaped the weatherman at Washington. This put the Yanks nine games in front.

Cullenbine Pays Off

Roy Cullenbine, latest acquisition of the world champions, hit a home run with two out in the ninth inning to decide the first game 6-5 and milkman Jim Turner, veteran pitcher also picked up a week ago by the Yanks, received the credit with two innings of hitless relief work. New York bunched ten runs in the sixth inning of the second game to coast to an 11-2 verdict while Hank Borowy was holding the A's to six hits for his 14th triumph against three setbacks.

Boston clubbed Sid Hudson for 14 hits and beat the Senators 9-7 although Washington worked down to the ninth inning with the score tied.

The St. Louis Browns and Detroit Tigers divided their doubleheader. In the first game Al Benton attained his first success since the All-Star game, 5-3. In the second game Harland Clift made five straight hits to bat in all runs as the Browns won 3-0.

Cleveland at Chicago was postponed till today.

The New York Giants pounced on Philadelphia twice 5-3 and 4-0 to extend the Phils' losing streak to 13 games, longest of the National league season.

Bucky Walters finally achieved his 13th victory with a six-hit job as Cincinnati nudged out the Chicago Cubs 3-1. The Bruins took the second game on the strength of Lou Stringer's three-run double in the eighth inning, 5 to 3.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press) Holyoke, Mass.—Tony Jessup, 136, Springfield, Mass., won by technical knockout over Matt Dougherty, 141, Milwaukee (4); Al (Bumby) Davis, 160, New York, knocked out Harold Gray, 159, Chicago, (3).

Denver—Richie Lemos, Los Angeles, knocked out Johnny Farrell, Denver, (2).

PACKERS PLAY GOLF

Green Bay—Curly Lambeau exhorts his Green Bay professional football Packers to play golf whenever they have a spare morning or afternoon.

Candor, piloted by Rupe Parker, took the second heat.

Harry Pownall drove Seven up, an eastern entry and Hambletonian money winner, to a straight heat victory in the 2:12 trot.

Illinois breeders futures for two-year-old trotters and pacers and the 2:16 trot feature today's card.

SCHROEDER IS NEW TENNIS CHAMPION

Beats Frank Parker in Singles Finals at Forest Hills

By GAYLE TALBOT

New York, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Ted Schroeder, Jr., a big, awkward looking youngster from Glendale, Calif., with a "plowboy" walk something like Bob Feller's, is the country's first tennis champion of the present war era.

He polished off the veteran Frankie Parker with undisguised ease and relish in the finals at Forest Hills yesterday, 8-6, 7-5, 3-6, 4-6, 6-2, proving himself a much finer tennis player than had been realized previously.

He trimmed the clock-like Frankie almost as he pleased—the marathon score being misleading. When Schroeder, with a much superior service, forehand and overhead game, wanted to win any particular game or set, he simply went in and won it. The two sets he lost were window-dressing for the crowd of 9,000.

When he slammed the ball away for the final point of his victory, Schroeder spoke his valedictory to tennis for the duration. Within a week he expects to be in the Naval academy at Annapolis.

Schroeder shared another championship when he and Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., won the final of the mixed doubles from Alejo Russell of the Argentine and Mrs. Patricia Canning Todd of New York, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

Wide World Sports Columnist New York, Sept. 8.—Not satisfied with a dozen "varsity" games against the toughest college and service clubs, Bernie Bierman's Iowa Seahawks are forming a junior varsity football team to meet such opposition as Cornell of Iowa, Case, Carleton, Grinnell and the Wisconsin "B" squad.

And at the same time Bierman put in a claim for the weeping championship by saying, "This is the greenest team I have ever had."

P. S., the just-arrived battalion of cadets includes Judd Ringer of Minnesota and Mal Kutner of Texas, starting ends in the Chicago All-Star game.

Sam Breadon insists he and Branch Rickey haven't come to a parting of the ways, in spite of all rumors, but he adds, "Just supposing there wasn't any minors next year, you wouldn't need a farm head, would you?"

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE In eight main bouts at Madison Square Garden, Fritz Zivic has drawn an average gate of \$48,000.

Jack Semple, the marathon runner, works a ten-hour day as a ship joiner in Boston and then runs ten miles to his home in Lynn to save gas.

RED STOCKINGS?—NO, FACES At Cincinnati's redland field the other day, the announcer was giving out the news that Mike Robot, the pitching machine, would serve 'em up for a fungo hitting contest the next night.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Markets at a Glance

New York—
Stocks firm; leaders rally on war economy prospects.
Bonds steady; speculative rails higher.
Cotton irregular; heneep crop report.
Chicago—
Wheat closed 1 1/2¢ higher on favorable interpretation of president's message.
Corn higher with wheat.
Hogs active, steady to strong, top \$14.70.
Sattle fed steers and yearlings strong to 25¢ higher; top \$16.50.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)
Open High Low Close
WHEAT—
Sept. 1.21 1.23 1.21 1.22
Dec. 1.24 1.26 1.24 1.25
May 1.27 1.30 1.27 1.29

CORN—
Sept. .83 .83 83 .83
Dec. .85 .86 .85 .86
May .89 .90 .89 .90

OATS—
Sept. .50 51 50 50
Dec. .51 52 51 52
May .53 54 53 54

SOYBEANS—
Oct. 1.69 1.69 1.69 1.69
Dec. 1.70 1.71 1.70 1.71

RYE—
Sept. .64 .65 .63 .64
Dec. .67 .68 .67 .68
May .74 .75 .73 .74

LARD—
Sept. 12.90

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Potatoes, arrivals 49, on track 34; total U.S. shipments Sat. 600; Sun. 44, Mon. 144; demand fair, market steady; Nebraska bliss triumphs U.S. No. 1, 2.25; cobbler 1.70; South Dakota bliss triumphs U.S. No. 1, 3.00; Wisconsin cobbler U.S. No. 1, 1.75; Nebraska bliss triumphs U.S. No. 1, 1.40; 2.75; Chippewa katchin triumphs U.S. No. 1, 2.25; Minnesota bliss triumphs U.S. No. 1, 2.25; 75; North Dakota bliss triumphs U.S. No. 1, 1.35; 85.
Poultry live, 61, trucks, firm; hens, over 5 lbs 23 1/2; 5 lbs and down 24 1/2; leghorn hens 20 broilers, 2 1/2 lbs and down, colored 24; plymouth rock 26, white rock 25; white rock 26; under 4 lbs, colored 23 1/2; plymouth rock 25; white rock 25; bareback chickens 19; 21; roosters 16 1/2; leghorn roosters 16; ducks 4 1/2 lbs up, colored 17 1/2; white 17 1/2; small colored 17 1/2; white 17 1/2; geese, old 13, young 16; turkeys, toms, old 23, young 28, hens, old 26, young 30.
Butter, receipts 650,585; unsettled; prices as quoted by the Chicago price current; creamery, 93 score 41 1/2; 92, 41 1/4; 91, 41; 90, 41; 89, 40; 88, 39 1/2; 90 centralized carlots 41 1/2.
Eggs, receipts 10,022; unsettled; fresh ungraded, extra firsts, local 35 1/2; cars 36 1/4; firsts, local 34 1/4; cars 35 1/4; current receipts 32, dirties 31; current 29 1/2.

Butter futures, storage stds close Nov 41.85 1/4 Ja 42.00.
Egg futures, refing stds Oct 34.75; Nov 34.80; Dec 34.95.
Egg futures, Idaho Nov 2.86; Jan. 3.30.

Chicago Cash Grain
Chicago, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Cash wheat, No. 2, hard 1.26; No. 3 1.24 1/2; No. 4, 1.21 1/2.
Corn, No. 2 mixed 85; No. 3, 1.04 mainly white No. 1 yellow 84 1/2; No. 2, 84 1/4; No. 3, 83 1/4; No. 4, 82 1/2; No. 5, 82 1/2; No. 6, 82 1/2; No. 7, 82 1/2; No. 8, 82 1/2; No. 9, 82 1/2; No. 10, 82 1/2; No. 11, 82 1/2; No. 12, 82 1/2; No. 13, 82 1/2; No. 14, 82 1/2; No. 15, 82 1/2; No. 16, 82 1/2; No. 17, 82 1/2; No. 18, 82 1/2; No. 19, 82 1/2; No. 20, 82 1/2; No. 21, 82 1/2; No. 22, 82 1/2; No. 23, 82 1/2; No. 24, 82 1/2; No. 25, 82 1/2; No. 26, 82 1/2; No. 27, 82 1/2; No. 28, 82 1/2; No. 29, 82 1/2; No. 30, 82 1/2; No. 31, 82 1/2; No. 32, 82 1/2; No. 33, 82 1/2; No. 34, 82 1/2; No. 35, 82 1/2; No. 36, 82 1/2; No. 37, 82 1/2; No. 38, 82 1/2; No. 39, 82 1/2; No. 40, 82 1/2; No. 41, 82 1/2; No. 42, 82 1/2; No. 43, 82 1/2; No. 44, 82 1/2; No. 45, 82 1/2; No. 46, 82 1/2; No. 47, 82 1/2; No. 48, 82 1/2; No. 49, 82 1/2; No. 50, 82 1/2; No. 51, 82 1/2; No. 52, 82 1/2; No. 53, 82 1/2; No. 54, 82 1/2; No. 55, 82 1/2; No. 56, 82 1/2; No. 57, 82 1/2; No. 58, 82 1/2; No. 59, 82 1/2; No. 60, 82 1/2; 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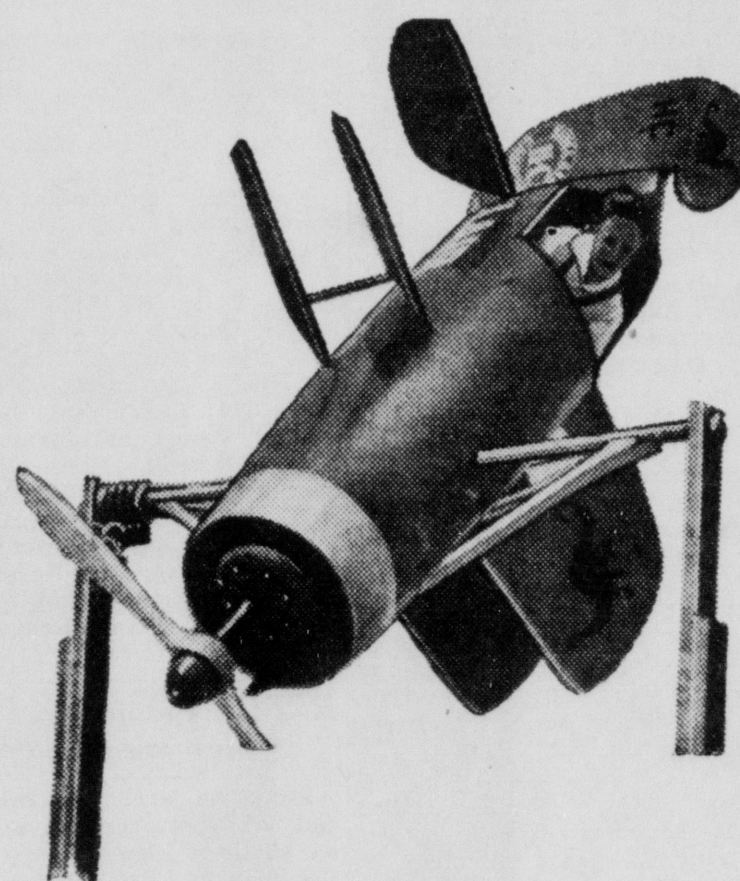
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Hopes for Second Front Depend on Growing U. S. Army

Out Land Forces Held Necessary to Bring Allies Victory

London, Sept. 8.—(Wide World)—Allied hopes of opening a second front and dealing Germany a knockout blow in this fourth year of war rest largely on the shoulders of a young and ever growing American Army. That is the combined opinion of qualified military observers—and figures bear them out.

With a population half as large as Germany's Britain has an air force that now stacks up as equal to or better than the reich's, and Britain's navy is far superior to anything Hitler can offer. But it is physically impossible to put a British army in the field to match the German war machine.

Britain has drained her manpower and womanpower reserves in the last three years. Military experts usually estimate that a country can mobilize 10 per cent of its population for the fighting forces, a basis which figures 4,000,000 fighting men for Britain.

Prime Minister Churchill announced in his last speech in Commons that at least 950,000 soldiers had been sent abroad, and at last accounts another million were in the RAF. No one except the Admiralty knows how many are in the navy but there are certainly at least a half million and this does not include the many thousands in the merchant marine.

1,500,000 Left for Army

This leaves about 1,500,000 for the army in the European theatre, about half of whom would be needed in behind-the-lines supply services. Many thousands of home guards—over—and under-age men—could be mustered for defense against invasion but these would be of slight use in any offensive action.

Any allied force invading the continent, should number at least 2,000,000 combat troops, in the opinion of military men—and that is why the American army must be called upon for a major role.

That the United Nations' command fully recognizes the situation is shown by the large numbers of American troops which are being poured into the British Isles every month in an ever-increasing tide.

The United States Army Air force also is preparing to shoulder a big burden.

The tide of war forced Britain to concentrate on production of fighters at the outset—for defense. Then, because of the great distance between Britain and Germany, production turned largely to the big four-motored night bombers.

To support an invading army, thousands of light bombers, reconnaissance and ground support aircraft would be needed in addition to the clouds of fighter ships—and these are types in which the United States excels.

Under the division of operations which this indicates, the RAF would deal ponderous blows at the heart of Germany and clear the skies with fighters. The American air force would be called upon for support of the army in day-light operations.

The greater part of the transport job for invasion would necessarily go to the Royal Navy.

RELIGION AND CIVIL GOVERNMENT

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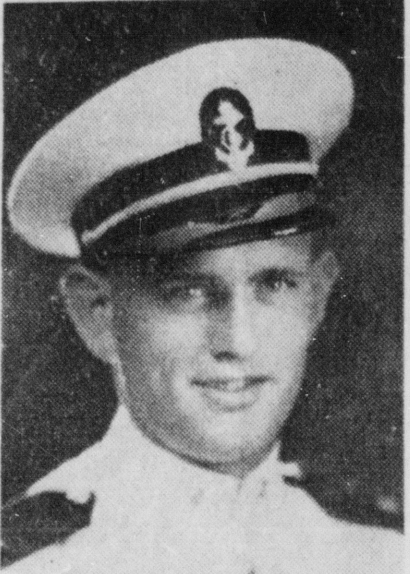
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BOYS IN THE SERVICE



LAVERNE McMILLION
Son of Mrs. George Merriman of Dixon, is an aviation cadet at Glenview, Ill., where he soloed recently and from which station he expects to be transferred soon. His address is Cadet Laverne McMillion, V 5, 7 B. U. S. N. R., Naval Aviation Depot, Glenview, Ill.

Two Dixon soldiers recently were graduated from the Chanute field of the army air forces technical training command, as follows: Pvt. John H. Longman, son of Mrs. Ruth M. Moore, 629 Brinton avenue, and Pvt. Raymond O. Shoemaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shoemaker, route 2. The men were trained as ground crew technicians and will work on the vital important job of maintaining and repairing army aircraft.

William W. Schuck of this city was one of 43 Illinois men among 700 enlistees, representing 43 other states, who were awarded advancements in military rating at the U. S. Naval air station at Corpus Christi, Texas recently. This was the largest number of men receiving promotions in a single month since the "University of the Air" was commissioned 18 months ago. The majority of the men are primarily engaged in the pilot training program.

Joe S. Unger, who is stationed at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., has made rapid strides since his induction into service. In private life, he was a member of the sales staff at the Bowman Bros. shoe store and within a short time after his induction was promoted corporal in his unit. Recently he received another advancement and is now a full-fledged sergeant in the army air force.

Mrs. LeRoy Wagner has received word from her husband that he has been transferred from Camp Forrest, Tenn. where he has been stationed since March, 1941. His new address is: Service Co., 129th Inf., A.P.O.-1195, care postmaster, San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Long have received word that their son, Pvt. Kenneth Long, is now stationed at the following address: 405 T.S.S. Barracks 208, Shepard Field, Texas.

Miss Hazel Heaton received word this morning that Pvt. Ervin H. Dalke, who entered the Army, Aug. 25, is receiving mail at the following address: Co. A, 336, G.S., Camp Rucker, Ala.

Corp. Earl Slagle, Jr., instructor at the new air field at Madison, Wis., returned to his post this morning, after spending the week end here with his parents, the senior Earl Slagles.

Robert Emmert, radioman third class, is now with the armored Guard Center, 32nd street and First avenue, South Brooklyn, N. Y., having been transferred from Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Robert Stouffer (Helen Slick) has received word that her husband, Sergeant Stouffer of Camp Forrest, Tennessee, has been transferred to the officers' training school at Fort Benning, Ga. His address is: 30th Co., 14th Hut 10, Harmony church area, Fort Benning, Ga.

Expenditures for Gas Used in Defense Work Deductible From Taxes

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Expenditures for gasoline used in automobiles by members of Citizens' Defense Corps, Citizens' Service Corps, Civil Air Patrol and other civilian defense units in performance of duties are allowable income tax deductions, Maj. Gen. Frank Parker, executive director of the Illinois State Council of Defense, said today.

Gen. Parker pointed out these expenditures constitute a governmental contribution or gift within the meaning of the internal revenue code. Depreciation of automobiles, however, is not deductible.

Civilian defense volunteers who intend to deduct gasoline expenditures, Gen. Parker said, must maintain adequate records in order to establish the amount expended and to prove the gasoline was used for civilian defense purposes.

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Reporter and Local Circulation Representative

Mrs. Nicholas Gigano and family of Chicago spent the week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Chas. Anderson.

The Rock River Valley club of Printing House Craftsmen will hold their annual meeting and election of officers at the Kable Inn, Friday evening, Chas. G. Gaines, president of the Chicago club will be the guest speaker. At a meeting of the board held at Rockford, Sept. 28, and attended by Mark Crawford, Art Barr, Carl Borkland and Hess Mann, it was voted to hold the regular educational meeting once every two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dandson and daughter Marilyn, spent the holiday week end with the latter's parents in Waterloo, Iowa.

The program committee composed of the Mms. Fred Steffen, C. J. Price, Fred Dean and Lulu Longman, announce the following program for the Current Events club:

Sept. 22, hostess, Mrs. Paul Barnhizer, Valuable Trees, Mrs. Lulu Longman.

October 6, hostess, Mrs. John Blakley, "My Scrapbook," Mrs. Harry Kable.

October 20, hostess, Mrs. Fred Dean, Guest tea, Mms. Price, Longman, Crowell, Steffens.

Nov. 3, hostess, Mrs. Paul Boyle, Book review, Mrs. Clarence Mitchell.

November 17, hostess, Mrs. Mark Crawford, "Women in the News," Mrs. Chas. Edson.

December 1, hostess, Mrs. Chas. Edson, "The Work of the Commandos," Mmes. George Warwick and Stanley Gruhn.

December 15, hostess, Mrs. Harry Cushing, Christmas program, Mms. Mills, Mark Crawford.

January 5, hostess, Mrs. Earl Edwards, "The Soong Sisters," Mrs. H. Marcott.

January 19, hostess, Mrs. Lulu Longman, "Alaska," Mrs. Adam Hecker.

February 2, hostess, Mrs. William Hance Miller, "Indians at Work," Mrs. John Blakley.

February 16, hostess, Mrs. Donovan Mills, Book review, Mrs. Paul Boyle.

March 2, hostess, Mrs. Ira Norton, "India," Mrs. Mary Thompson.

March 16, hostess, Mrs. Adam Hecker, Book review, Mrs. Earl Edwards.

March 30, hostess, Mrs. Robert Hough, "The U. S. O.," Mrs. Paul Barnhizer.

April 13, hostess, Mrs. Steffen, "He Cheered and Comforted a Tired World," Mrs. Robert Hough.

April 27, hostess, Mrs. George Warwick, "Bees," Mrs. Bertha Prugh.

May 11, hostess, Mrs. Frank Crowell, "WAACS, WAVES and Wasps," Mmes. Ira Norton and Elmer Paul.

May 25, hostess, Mrs. Harry Kable, "The South Pacific," Mrs. Hermann.

June 8, Spring luncheon. Committee, club officers included, president, Mrs. Frank Crowell; vice president, Mary Cushing; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Fred Dean.

New books received at the library during August include: Meet Me In St. Louis—Benson; Flying U Ranch—Bower; Red Clark Takes a Hand; Modern Events Quiz Book; Flying U's Last Stand—Bower; Black Camel; King of the Range; The Expert's Quiz Book; Home Book of Quizzes, Games and Jokes; Problems of Lasting Peace—Hoover; Song of Bernadette—Werfel; Behind that Curtain—Biggers; Young Dr. Kildare—Brand; King of Bush—Raine; Paul Revere Etc.—Forbes; Goethals and Panama Canal—Fast; Plume Rouge—Terrell.

RRPCA Picnic Held at Sinnissippi Saturday

Sixty-five farm folks from Lee and Whiteside counties attended an advisory committee picnic of the Rock River Production Credit Association at Sinnissippi park Saturday. The picnic was planned for advisory committeemen, directors, personnel and other families as a reward for time and thought of committeemen to the interest of their association.

The day was beautiful and the park proved an ideal location for such an occasion. The group gathered about the noon hour for a picnic dinner, after which there were talks, discussion, contests and games.

Those attending from this vicinity were: A. T. Tourtellot, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cortright, Mrs. Queta C. Waincott, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hartzell, Frank W. Scholl and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Shippert and Mr. and Mrs. James Noakes. D. P. Crump, Association Supervisor of Production Credit Corporation of St. Louis, Mo., was also present.

The entire and absolute freedom of the press is essential to the preservation of government on the basis of a free constitution.—Daniel Webster.

Highest tide in the world is in the Bay of Fundy, Canada, where there is a rise of 53 feet.

Poppies have been planted in Germany for the oil yielded by the seeds.

Among Americans, the cocker spaniel leads all other dogs in popularity.

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32 Ogle Co. Men Ordered to Army

The following men have been ordered to report for induction by Ogle county board No. 1:

Willard Martin Burright, Oregon; Robert Willey Hudson, Mt. Morris; Fred Adair Clark, Rochelle; and Paul Chester Moser, Polo. These four above mentioned are volunteers. The selectees are:

Harlan Mansfield Mize, Henry S. Wyatt, Ernest Charles Martin—Leaf River.

Merritt Binkley Garman, Lester LeRoy Rosenbaum—Forreston.

John Henry Millers—Rockford. Armour F. VanBriesen—Stillman Valley.

Paul Ellisworth Page—Grand Detour.

Malcolm Charles Davison, John Felix Bonte, Harold Herman Hardesty, Olen Delbert Reed, William Elsie deLhorbe, Jr., Earl Keith Koper, Donald Eugene Gruber, Hughling Sylvester Drumheller, Stanley Joseph Berens—Oregon.

Kenneth Ward Goodbrake—Van Orin.

Herman Daniel Kaiser, William Spencer, Frederick Joseph Allen—Rochelle.

Theodore Alfred Kline—Davis Junction.

Clinton Alvin Bowers, Charles Nelson Sweet, James Wilson Rae—Polo.

Carl Arvid Johnson—Davis Junction.

Paul Willis Castle, William Joseph Rohns—Mt. Morris.

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22—Pacific Limited	4:47 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
(Stops on signal for Chicago passengers)		
88—Challenger (Sunday only)	5:00 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
112—City of Denver, Streamliner	7:48 A.M.	9:35 A.M.
(Will carry passengers only when desired space is available)		
26—Clinton Passenger, (Daily except Sunday)	7:07 A.M.	9:15 A.M.
16—Columbine	4:15 P.M.	6:30 P.M.
4—Local, (Daily Except Sunday)	5:47 P.M.	9:10 P.M.

WESTWARD TRAINS		
No. Train	Leave Chicago	Arrive Dixon
15—Columbine	11:45 P.M.	2:23 A.M.
3—Local, (Daily except Sunday)	6:50 A.M.	10:17 A.M.
21—Pacific Limited	10:00 A.M.	12:03 P.M.
25—Clinton Passenger, (Daily Except Sunday)	5:05 P.M.	7:05 P.M.
111—City of Denver, Streamliner	5:45 P.M.	7:16 P.M.
(Will carry passengers only when desired space is available)		
27—Overland Limited, Flag Stop	9:00 P.M.	10:43 P.M.
(To take on sleeping car passengers Granger and beyond)		
7—Los Angeles Challenger, Flag Stop	9:10 P.M.	10:53 P.M.
(To take on passengers for Granger and beyond)		
87—San Francisco Challenger	9:20 P.M.	11:13 P.M.

—"The War Today"—appearing each day in The Dixon Evening Telegraph—is something every subscriber should read.

Do you read the DeWitt MacKenzie column appearing daily in this paper? It is full of interesting information. Read it now. If

Church Societies

Wesleyan Society—The meeting which the Wesleyan society of the First Methodist church had planned for this evening, has been postponed until 6:30 p. m. Tuesday, Sept. 15.

Nachusa W. M. S.—Mrs. Fannie Wolf will be hostess to the Nachusa W. M. S. at 2 p. m. Thursday.

Guild Meeting—St. Agnes Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church is to meet at the home of Mrs. W. Roat, 727 East Third street, at 2:30 p. m. Friday.

W. M. S.—The Women's Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at 2:30 p. m. Thursday in the church parlors, with Mrs. Bert Ortgiesen, Mrs. George Kieffer, and Mrs. Florence Bollman as joint hostesses. All women of the church and their friends are invited.

W. M. S.—The Young Women's Missionary society of St. Paul's church is to meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of Miss Eleanor Powell, 1716 Second street.

Circle Meetings—Mrs. J. A. Preston will entertain at her home in the country at 2:30 p. m. Thursday for members of Circle One, W. S. C. S. First Methodist church. Circle Four will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Earl Slagle, Sr., 815 East Chamberlin. A 1 o'clock co-operative luncheon has been planned for members of Circle Two at the summer cottage of Mrs. Robert Ayres, Friday. At 2:30 p. m. Friday, Circle Three is to meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Crombie in the country.

Missionary Society—The Missionary society of the Church of the Brethren will meet this evening in the church basement. New officers will be elected, and Mite boxes are to be collected.

Sunshine Class—Mrs. Joynt will be hostess to the Ladies' Sunshine class of the Eldena church on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Margaret Hetler is arranging the entertainment.

Group Meetings—The following meetings have been scheduled for women of the First Presbyterian church. Group One, Mrs. Dement Schuler, hostess, 8 p. m. Thursday; Group Two, at Mrs. W. H. Ware's home at 8 p. m. Thursday; Group Three, Mrs. Curtis Taylor, hostess, 8 p. m. Thursday; Group Four, will meet at 2:30 p. m. Friday, Sept. 18, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Bartholomew.

Rockford Workman Is Awarded Merit Honors

Washington, Sept. 8.—(AP)—Daniel Walter Mallett, 38, of Rockford, Ill., was among those selected by the War Production Board to receive a certificate of individual merit "in recognition of initiative and patriotism for a meritorious contribution to the war production drive."

Mallett, a counterbalance operator at the Borg-Warner plant, suggested an improvement in machining production 31 per cent, and eliminated 168 man-hours a week.

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Lee Health Dept. Supply With Blood Plasma by State

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Twenty-nine Illinois communities have received supplies of liquid blood plasma for use in treating victims of wartime disasters. Dr. H. L. Pettitt, emergency medical service coordinator, Illinois State Council of Defense, today informed 577 local Councils of Defense. Ten to 40 units, according to population, are now stored in these towns.

Dr. Pettitt said it is hoped that the liquid plasma will eventually be replaced by a larger supply of dried plasma, which retains its lifesaving qualities indefinitely.

In emergencies where larger quantities might be required, communities should call the State Department of Health in Springfield, Dr. Pettitt said.

Communities supplied and the location of depots are East St. Louis, East Side Health District; Carbondale, branch laboratory; Champaign, branch laboratory; Galesburg, branch laboratory; Aurora, district health office; Moline, district health office; Joliet, county health department; Dixon, county health department; Lawrenceville, county health department; Peoria, city health department; Quincy, city health department; Rockford, city health department; Savanna, Dr. E. C. Turner, emergency medical service coordinator; Alton, city health department; LaSalle, city health department; Elgin, city health department; Kankakee, city health department; Decatur, city health department; Murphysboro, city health department; Anna, Anna State Hospital; Cairo, St. Mary's Infirmary; Danville, city health department; Jacksonville, city health department; Mt. Vernon, city health department; Herrin, county health department; Belleville, city health department; Mattoon, Dr. Joseph Link; Naperville, Edwardsville Sanitarium, and Springfield, State Health Department.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 6.

The Golden Text was, "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way (Psalms 37: 23).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Know ye that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves: we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture" (Psalms 100: 3).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Immortal man was and is God's image or idea, even the infinite expression of infinite Mind, and immortal man is coexistent and co-eternal with that Mind. God, the divine Principle of man, and man in God's likeness are inseparable, harmonious, and eternal. God and man are not the same, but in the order of divine Science, God and man co-exist and are eternal. God is the parent Mind, and man is God's spiritual offspring" (p. 336).

Boy Scout News

Members of the drum and bugle corps of Boy Scout troop, 89, will meet for practice this evening at 7:30 in their club rooms at the Loveland Community House. A meeting of patrol leaders will be held at 7 o'clock and all members of the troop are urged to be present at the regular weekly meeting.

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Surprise Party
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hardesty who were recently married, were honored at a surprise party Friday night at the home of his mother, Mrs. William Hardesty, with whom they make their home. Members of the Church of God planned the event and the young couple were recipients of a gift of an occasional table.

Parents of Son
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Chicago are parents of a son, James William, born Thursday, Sept. 4 at an Evanston hospital. Mrs. Anderson is the former Jean Farrell of Oregon, daughter of Ray Farrell.

Clinic Notes
Mrs. Albert Smith of Byron is a medical patient at the Warm-olts clinic.

Dismissed: John Marshall who had been a patient for treatment. Don Hollowell, who submitted to a major operation.

Mrs. Nellie Eychaner who had been a patient at the clinic for three months with a broken leg.

Mrs. Margaret Fernsner of Mt. Morris entered the clinic Tuesday as a medical patient.

Personals
Mrs. Jennie Burright of Chicago arrived Saturday to spend some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murdock.

Mrs. R. W. Iverson of Davenport, Iowa, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Lindsay and children of Oconomowoc, Wis. spent the week-end holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Mattison and Mrs. S. J. Lindsay. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mattison and daughter Anne of Rock Island were Sunday visitors at the C. V. Mattison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMurchy and daughter of DeKalb spent Sunday and Monday with the Sauer sisters.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Settles included their daughter, Verna Belle, and Miss Betty Stage of Davenport, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orth, Mrs. Margaret Baumgart and daughter Betty of Waukesha, Wis. and Jimmie Turney of Chicago.

Mrs. G. T. Snyder and son George were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder in Chicago.

Charles Finkbner, technical sergeant in the medical corps, located at Camp Berkeley, Abilene, Texas, came Saturday for a ten days furlough with his sisters and their families.

Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Draper of Crystal Lake were in Oregon Wednesday and attended the Berean Sunday school class meeting and scramble dinner at the home of Mrs. Lucy Glasgow.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brooke and son Tommy of Palos Heights were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brooke.

Miss Teresa Lochner of Skokie, Ill., Lillian Norton of Chicago, Ray Hoffman, Mrs. Rolf Hoffman and son of Glenview were Oregon visitors Friday. Miss Lochner visited the Sauer sisters while the rest of the party were at the Pines state park.

Mrs. Laura Hoffman is spending the week with the William Miller family at Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laughlin of Palos Heights and Miss Margaret Anderson of Rockford were dinner guests Sunday night of the Donald Carrs.

Owen Cross of Benton, Ill., is a guest for a week of Miss Kathleen Swingley at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Swingley.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laughlin and son of Palos Heights passed the week-end vacation at the C. M. Strock and H. B. Spoor homes.

THE OLD GRINDSTONE
If your nose is close to the grindstone rough,
And you hold it down there long enough;
In time you'll say there's no such thing
As brooks that babble and birds that sing.
These three will all your world compose,
Just you, the stone, and your darned old nose.

THE ENEMY
AINT BEEN BOTHERIN' ME, RED RIDER! I'VE GOT TO WORRY ABOUT THE WAR!
MEBBER THE REASON YOU'RE NOT BOTHERED
IS BECAUSE A LOT OF FOLKS DO WORRY ABOUT IT!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

IT IS MR. DRIPPSBY... SHALL WE GIVE THE LITTLE RUNT A LIFT?
WHY OF COURSE... THE POOR THING!
FOR GOSH... WE OUGHT TO STOP AND TELL HIM WHAT WE THINK OF HIM

L'L ABNER

McBlabber Rides Again!!

WHEN AH AXED HIM WHO WAS TH' FEMALE O' TH' OPPOSITE SEX HE GOTTA DATE WIF HIS EYES FLASHED!! HIS LIPS GOT WHITE!! HE YELLED- 'AH'LL NEVAH TELL-NEVAH!!'
AH'D DIE BEFO' AH'D REVEAL HER NAME!!

ABBIE AN' SLATS

Roaming Romeo

YOU SLAPPED ME!!! JUST ONCE YOU SLAPPED ME-TWICE!!
IF THAT'S THE WAY YE TREAT A FELLA WHO LIKES YE WELL ENOUGH TO KISS YE-YE NEEDN'T EXPECT ME T' KISS YE AGAIN!
OF ALL THE NERVE!!

RED RYDER

Getting Acquainted

YOU JUST ASKED HER NAME IN SIGN LANGUAGE, RED?
YEP, PATCHY! SHE SKIPPED LIKE A DEER!
HOPE THOSE MONSTERS YOU MENTIONED ARE AS PRETTY!
LOOKUM! WILD SQUAW RETURN!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Round Root Rapidly Return

HAVE YOU REALLY DEVELOPED A SYNTHETIC RUBBER, NUTTY?
I THOUGHT I WAS GOING TO, BUT I HAVEN'T HAD MUCH LUCK!
A TREE FELL DOWN NEAR THE SHAKER COUNTRY CLUB. THE ROOTS CAME UP AND I PICKED UP THIS ONE!
I'VE TRIED ALL KINDS OF EXPERIMENTS, AND THEY FAILED! BUT LOOK WHAT THIS ROOT DOES!

WASH TUBBS

Fine Time to Find Out

READY, SUH!
NOW ONE LAST WORD OF CAUTION, CAPTAIN. YOU'RE PITTING YOUR WITS AGAINST GERMANS IN A MATTER OF UTMOST IMPORTANCE! FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE REMEMBER THIS: THE GERMANS ARE ANYTHING BUT FOOLS!

ALLEY OOP

Welcome!

AT THE URGENT REQUEST OF THE TONI CITY ZOO KEEPER, OOLA GET OUT TO QUELL A DISTURBANCE--AND WOUND UP BEHIND A GREAT BIG EIGHT BALL...
OH, DEAR... DOCTOR WONMUG WILL JUST HAVE TO GET ME OUT OF THIS MESS!
...AND THEN THEY CAME BACK DRAGGING AN ELEPHANT BY THE TAIL... BUT IT WASN'T MINE!
YEZZIR BLOOIE! MY TRUCK, SHE IS BUST!
YOU SHOULD SEE WHAT THEY DID TO MY STORE FRONT

Gratitude

By EDGAR MARTIN

ALL RIGHT, DRIPPSBY... HOP IN... YOU!

By AL CAPP

AN--EF ANYONE TRIED T'FIND OUT WHO SHE IS--AN' WHUFFO! AH'M MEETIN' HER--AND STOP AT NOTHIN' T'PREVENT TH' SECRET FUM LEAKIN' OUT-- NOTHIN'!!
--HM! HE'S GOIN' UP DREAMY MOUNTAIN AGIN! AH AIMS T'FIND OUT WHO HE MEETS THAR!--OR MAH NAME HAIN'T NOSEY M'BLABBER!!

By RAE BURN VAN BUREN

MR. TINGLE, DO YOU KNOW WHO THAT YOUNG MAN IS?
HMM--CAN'T SEE HIS FACE-- BUT FROM HIS GENERAL APPEARANCE I'D SAY HE WAS FROM BAR-BARY BAY!
THAT EXPLAINS IT!!
EXPLAINS WHAT, BECKY?

By FRED HARMON

VOLA... VOLA!
MUST MEAN SHE HAVE-UM SAME NAME AS FLOWER, ME BETCHUM!
YEAH... VOLA!

By MERRILL BLOSSER

GOSH! IT BOUNCES!!

By ROY CRANE

OH, YES, ANOTHER THING. IT HARDLY SEEMS NECESSARY FOR ME TO MENTION IT, BUT SINCE YOU'LL BE IN A CONCENTRATION CAMP OCCUPIED MOSTLY BY FRENCHMEN, OF COURSE YOU'LL USE THE FRENCH LANGUAGE AT ALL TIMES
YOU... YOU WHAT?
I DON'T SPEAK FRENCH! OR GERMAN EITHER!

By V. T. HAMLIN

NO, MISS OOLA, BOSS DOC AIN'T HERE...TH' GOVERNMENT CALLED HIM TO SAN FRANCISCO--SOME-THING ABOUT OOP, I THINK
BUT ALLEY WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED... THAT FIGHT ON THE BEACH...
MEANWHILE: IN SAN FRANCISCO
DOCTOR WONMUG? OH, YES, THE CHIEF'S EXPECTING YOU... COME RIGHT IN!

WIDOW OF HERO

HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured widow of a U. S. flyer, Mrs.
10 Female sheep.
11 Tangled mass of hair.
12 Belongs to us.
13 Symbol for mercury.
15 Self.
17 Piece of wood.
18 South Carolina (abbr.).
20 Devour.
22 Some.
23 Aeriform fuel.
24 Hawaiian food.
25 Rustic.
27 Dweller.
28 Verbal.
30 Wild revelry.
31 Commander.
32 Skill.
33 Roused from sleep.
36 Current.
39 Sanctions.
41 Fabric.

Answer to Previous Puzzle
MASSACHUSETTS
CISTARAPITTE
ALAIRYPRIGLAR
PANICIRECELLO
EMIRSNARELOTS
ETRAGSETTO
HENLAD
AMSECMENPE
OVERROVERGOAT
METE
ERAND
MASSACHUSETTS
PALSA
SEASAR
STATE

VERTICAL
14 Species of wild cattle.
16 Upon.
17 Tardy.
18 Musical selection.
19 Town.
21 One who tows a vessel from shore.
24 Biased.
26 Foreign resident.
28 Direction.
33 Hornet.
34 Exclude.
35 Mohammedan priest.
37 Clock face.
38 Therefore.
40 Worthless.
42 Think.
45 Beside.
49 Vegetable.
50 Toward.
52 Meadow.
54 Afternoon (abbr.).
55 Live.
56 Proceed.
58 War Department (abbr.).

Crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a woman in the center.

SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH

Comic strip showing a man waiting for a woman to come home.

"It's the same thing every night, Mother—he waits until we get started and then says there's no room for him to work!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

Comic strip about a grasshopper and a man in a suit.

WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling
Reporter
Telephone L291

A dinner to observe the birth-days and other anniversaries in the group was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Scheffler on Sunday evening with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. Scheffler, John Stonebraker of Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Schultheis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fischer of Dixon.

Mrs. Dale Burkey was hostess to relatives on Friday at a luncheon and gift shower in honor of her niece, Miss Marjorie Montgomery of Clinton, Iowa, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Montgomery of Clinton, former Walnut residents. A social afternoon was spent and many lovely gifts were presented to the bride-to-be at a table decorated in blue and white. Out of town guests were: Mrs. Philip Montgomery of Clinton, Mrs. Evelyn Little and Mrs. E. F. Hub of Rock Falls, Mrs. Daisy Montgomery, Mrs. Evelyn Dir and Mrs. Mattie Dir of Deer Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Lewis were hosts to a family gathering on Sunday with a dinner at noon in honor of their son, Sgt. Ned Lewis who is at home from Beall Field, Washington, D. C. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and family, Mrs. Jennie Lewis and son Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Livey and daughters, Mrs. Grace Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Burke Livey and children of Walnut, Miss Arlowin Wall of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson and daughter of Galva.

Mrs. E. A. Gilchrist and children are week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Boozie in Earlville.

Mrs. Emma Andrews of Springfield was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Helena Huseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reith of Chicago and Peter Kramer of Mendota were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Bohler.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and daughter Jean were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rapp at Lamolite.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hatland and daughters attended the Helgeson family reunion at Aurora on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Foote of Chicago were week-end guests of Mrs. Foote's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dimmig.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hatland attended the funeral of Lester Shay, ag teacher at Wyoming, on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Shay, who was formerly ag teacher and principal of Bureau Township high school, passed away suddenly Saturday afternoon.

Evelyn Weller who attends Scovell schools in Sterling, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Abraham spent the week-end in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Andersen.

Mrs. L. J. Castle and son, Claude Davis, spent the weekend in Peoria with Mrs. Castle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Totten.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wise and children of Sterling were week-end guests of Mrs. Wise's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wilson and daughter, Linda Lee, of Springfield, Ill., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wilson in Walnut, and Mrs. Dora Czech in New Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Broer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gesslein in Mendota.

Mrs. Glenn Miller of San Francisco, California, came the latter part of the week to visit with her mother, Mrs. Helena Huseman, and other Walnut relatives.

Pvt. Marvin Peach of Indianapolis, Ind., was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Peach.

Mrs. Raymond Peach and daughter, Sandra, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brandenburg in Moline.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant left Sunday on a boat trip from Davenport, Iowa to St. Louis, Mo.

Everett Larson of Paxton, Ill., spent the week-end with his wife and children in Walnut.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hasenager of Peoria were week-end guests of Mrs. Hasenager's mother, Mrs. J. W. Ross.

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



LIL ABNER



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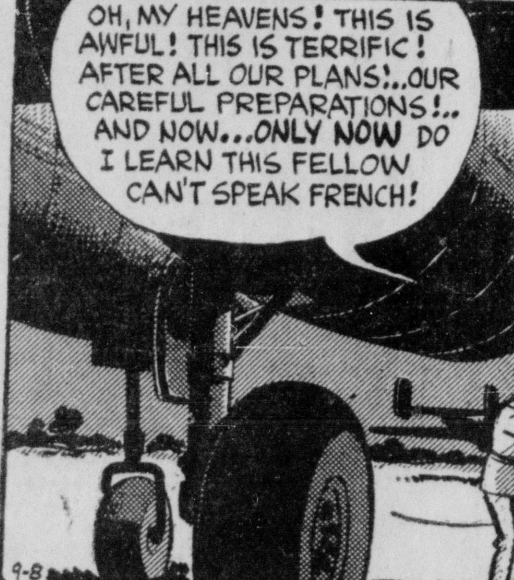
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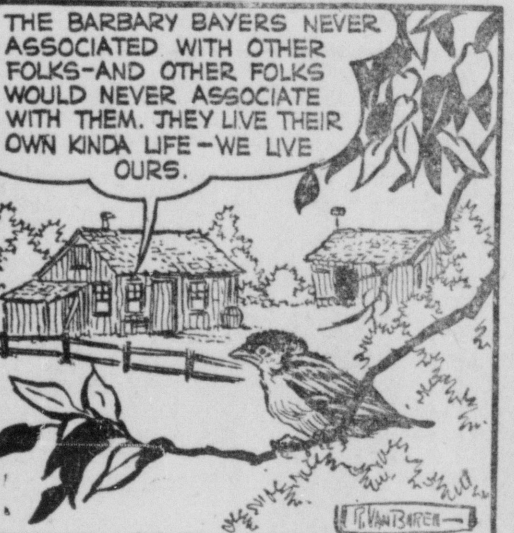
It Must've Been Grand



The Late Nosey McBlabber



A Land Apart



That Nervous Feeling



Try, Try Again



The General Is No Dummy



Just in Time



By EDGAR MARTIN



By AL CAPP



By RAE BURN VAN BUREN



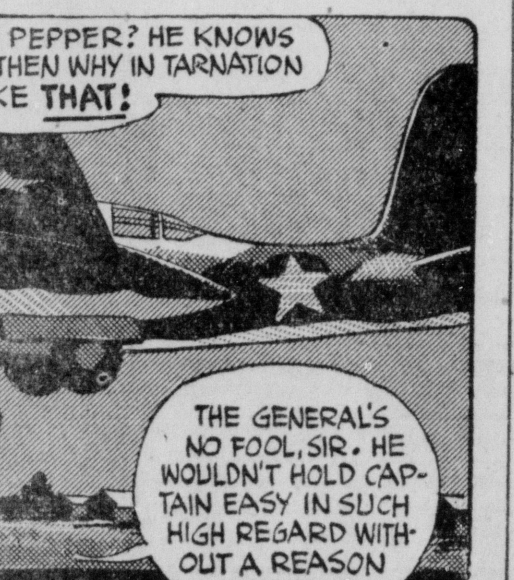
By FRED HARMON



By MERRILL BLOSSER



By ROY CRANE



By V. T. HAMLIN



CANADIAN OFFICIAL

HORIZONTAL

1,6 Pictured Canadian official.
15 Pared.
17 Passageway.
18 Gem.
20 Small fortress.
21 Courts (abbr.).
22 Rave.
24 Month (abbr.).
25 Weight.
26 Electrical term.
27 Tatter.
28 Exclamation.
30 Symbol for nickel.
32 Specific gravity (abbr.).
33 Trespassed.
36 Toward.
38 Baglike part.
39 Consume.
40 Ventilator.
42 Annoy.
43 Type measure.
44 Repeat.
46 Cloth measure.
49 Enchantments.

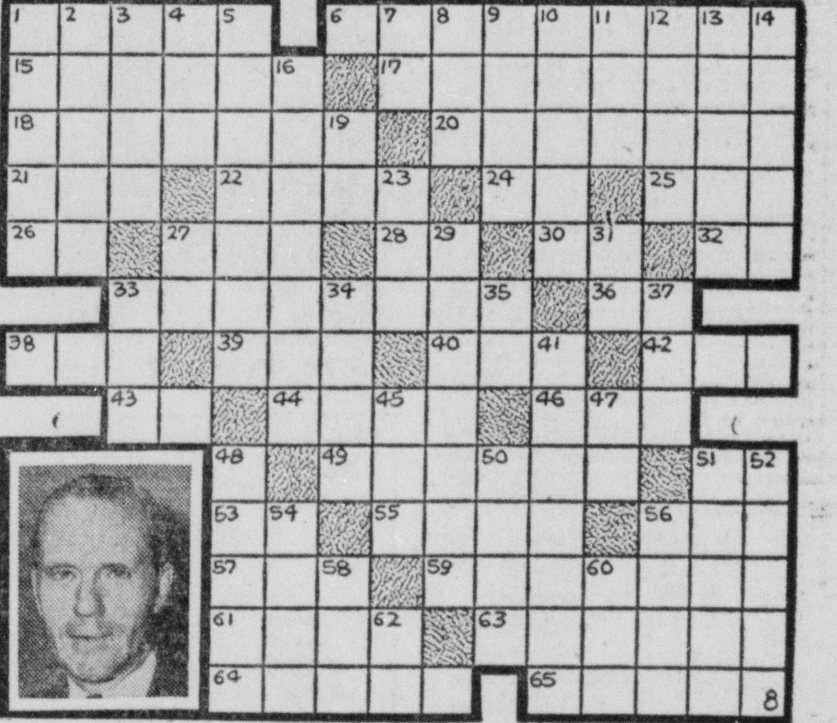
ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

MARION KELLY
EWE MOP OUR
HG EGO R LOG SC
EAT ANY GAS POI
RURAL TENANT
ORAL E ORGY
CID MRS
WOKE MARION KELLY
AMENS I TIDE
STR OBI JAP LAG
PT PRY T MILLO
PER BOG NEW
MAYBE OREAD

13 Chinese race.
14 Free tenant.
16 Graph.
19 Any.
23 Small child.
27 Registered nurse (abbr.).
29 Those who heal.
31 That thing.
33 Frozen water.
34 Indians.
35 Gods.
37 Lubricant.
41 Mollifies.
45 Suitable.
47 Lone Scout (abbr.).
48 About.
50 Meadows.
51 Doctrine.
52 Sleeps.
54 Mast.
58 Yellow bugle plant.
60 Thrice (comb. form).
62 Yard (abbr.).

VERTICAL

1 Speedily.
2 Birds' homes.
3 Obtains.
4 Rubber tree.
5 Notched.
7 Symbol for actinium.
8 Male swan.
9 Drachm.
10 Man's name.
11 Insect egg.
12 Entranceway.



SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



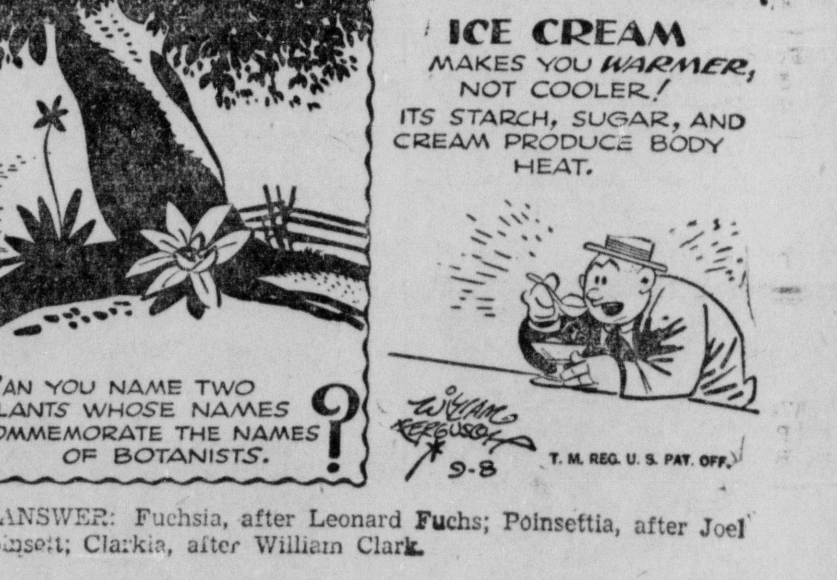
"I know we haven't called on you for ages, but we take a walk every evening instead of driving and George said, 'Let's drop in on the Joneses - my feet are killing me!'"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



KIZKOEYER



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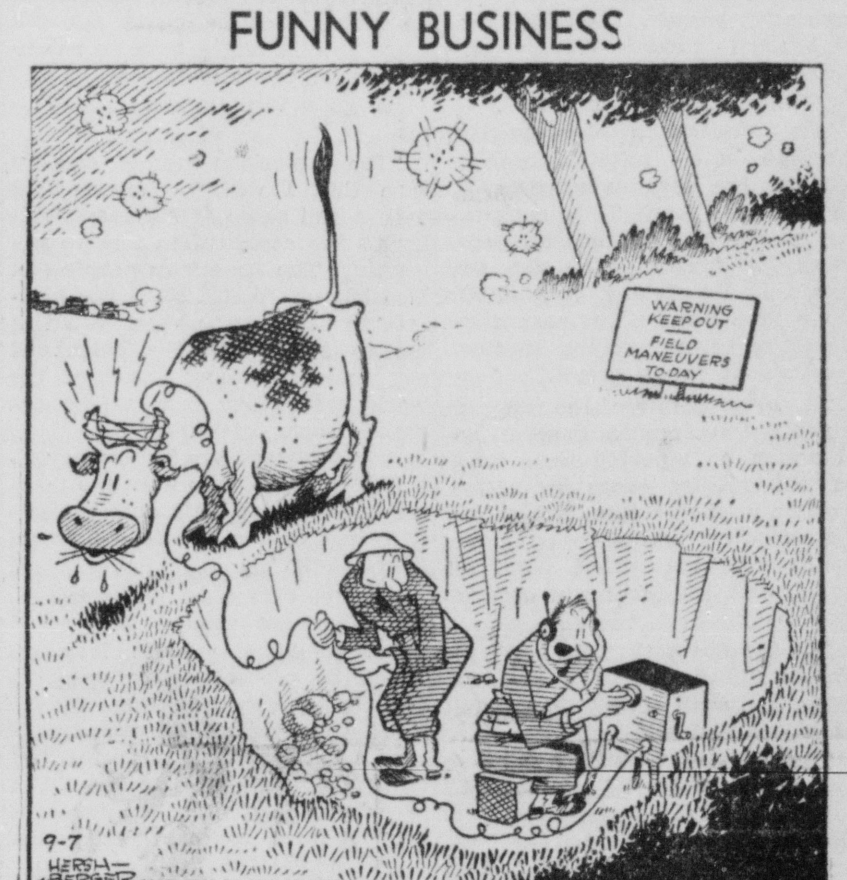


6:15 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
Late News From the World—WMAQ
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6:45 H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ
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Are You a Missing Heir?—WBBM
Music for America—WGN
7:15 Lum and Abner—WLS
7:30 Hobby Lobby—WBBM
Sing for Your Dough—WLS
Musical Knights—WMAQ
8:00 Battle of the Sexes—WMAQ
Famous Jury Trials—WENR
Tommy Riggs—WBBM
8:30 Cheers From the Camps—WBBM
This Nation at War—WENR
Meredith Wilson's Show—WMAQ
Lawrence Welk's Orch.—WGN
9:00 Cheers From the Camps—WBBM
Here and Abroad—WENR
A Date With Judy—WMAQ
9:30 Tommy Dorsey's Orch.—WMAQ
Northerners—WGN
10:00 Pleasure Time—WMAQ
Russ Morgan's Orch.—WENR
10:15 Don Artists—WCFL
Salute to Victory—WBBM
10:30 St. Louis Serenade—WMAQ
Music Lovers—WCFL
Todd Hunter—WBBM
11:00 Alvino Rey's Orch.—WBBM
Musical Melange—WMAQ
Globe Trotter—WENR
Modern Design Music—WGN
11:30 Hal McIntyre's Orch.—WGN
Russ Morgan's Orch.—WENR
Barney Spear's Orch.—WBBM
Roy Shield & Co.—WMAQ
12:00 Johnny Duffy's Orch.—WBBM
WBBM
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Henry Brandon's Orch.—WMAQ
Music You Want—WENR

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12:00 Life Can Be Beautiful—WBBM
Dinner Bell—WLS
12:15 Woman in White—WBBM
Wait Time—WAT
Singing Sam—WCFL
Tunes and Tips—WMAQ
12:30 Vic and Sade—WBBM
Bing Crosby—WCFL
12:45 Goldbergs—WBBM
Music of Yesteryear—WMAQ
1:00 Young Dr. Malone—WBBM
Light of the World—WMAQ
1:15 Girl Interne—WBBM
Lonely Women—WMAQ
Painted Dreams—WGN
1:30 Guiding Light—WMAQ
We Love and Learn—WBBM
Kernel's Kanaries—WCFL
1:45 Hymns of All Churches—WMAQ
Pepper Young's Family—WBBM
Spotlight—WCFL
David Harum—WBBM
Story of Mary Marlin—WMAQ
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Down Brush Creek Way—WBBM
2:30 Linda's First Love—WIEA
Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
2:45 Melody Market—WJJD
Right to Happiness—WMAQ
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Baseball—WGN, WCFL, WJJD
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Treasury Program—WBBM
3:45 Young Widder Brown—WMAQ
Women Today—WENR
When a Girl Marries—WMAQ
4:00 Women Today—WENR
4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ
Every Woman's World—WBBM
4:30 Fly for Navy—WBBM
Bethencourt's Band—WENR
4:45 The Bartons—WMAQ
Ben Bernie's Orch.

5:00 Sea Hound—WENR
Bargains in Bonds—WMAQ
Keyboard Kapers—WBBM
5:15 Horace Heidt's Orch.—WMAQ
Hedda Hopper—WBBM
Musical Memories—WMAQ
5:30 Frank Parker—WBBM
Something to Think About—WMAQ
Kay Kyser's Orch.—WCFL
Jack Armstrong—WENR
5:45 Dream Waltzes—WENR
Lowell Thomas—WLW
The World Today—WBBM



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Congress Aroused

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which contains these restrictions on the operation of price ceilings. Beyond that, the legislation was expected to outline a broad new economic authority which would be heralded by an administrator who would take over much of the work of controlling the cost of living.

It seemed certain, in view of the president's outline of his program in his message and radio talk, that no specific wage controls would be proposed in the legislation.

Farm Bloc Critical

Some farm state senators were critical of the attitude the president took on agricultural prices, was given for farm income, it might be possible to lower present ceilings. This might be done, it was suggested, by passage of legislation already approved by the senate, to provide 100 per cent parity loans on major crops.

The president said in his message that agriculture ceilings ought to be permitted at either parity or the price levels which prevailed at some recent date, whichever was higher, leading some legislators to believe that there might be grounds for compromise somewhere between the 100 and 110 per cent levels.

The president's contention that he had executive powers to carry out his objectives found widespread dispute in congress. Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis), a staunch new deal supporter in the past, said he thought the president's "threat" to act if congress failed to move by Oct. 1 was "pointing a pistol" at the legislative branch. He added that he hoped to support the new program despite the "unfortunate" way in which it was presented.

The president's long-awaited message on the inflation problem recalled the seven-point program he presented April 27 to curb rising prices and reapproached congress for inactivity on the two points in its field—"an adequate tax program and a law permitting the fixing of price ceilings on farm products at parity prices."

The other points of the program which did not require congressional action he reported were being carried out by executive action. And he implied a threat to extend his executive action to cover the whole program, unless congress acted, with the forthright declaration:

"In the event that the congress should fail to act, and act adequately, I shall accept the responsibility, and I will act."

Thus Roosevelt delayed the promulgation of any executive order to effectuate the program pending the response of congress. He promised, however, that as soon as farm prices are stabilized, "wages can and will be stabilized also. This I will do."

Gives Congress Until Oct. 1
The president set October 1 as the deadline for congress to act because he said "We can not hold the actual cost of food and clothing down to approximately the present level beyond Oct. 1" without some legislation or executive order.

Bluntly, Roosevelt told the legislators that unless they acted he would accept the responsibility to act himself and "take measures necessary to avert a disaster"

which would interfere with the winning of the war."
"Inaction on your part," the president said, "will leave me with an inescapable responsibility to the people of this country to see to it that the war effort is no longer imperilled by threat of economic chaos."

Wants Farm Prices Pegged
Roosevelt pictured farm prices as a key to the inflation riddle. He said the purpose should be to hold them at parity or at levels of a recent date, whichever is higher.

Explaining why he wanted congress to pass an anti-inflation act by October 1, the president said that "we can not hold the actual cost of food and clothing down to approximately the present level beyond October 1" and no one could give any assurances that living costs could be held down after that date.

What is needed, he said, is "an over-all stabilization of prices, salaries, wages and profits."

"That is necessary to the continued production of planes and tanks and ships and guns at the present constantly increasing rate," Mr. Roosevelt said.

Submits No Formula

In contrast to widespread predictions, the president provided no administrative formula for controlling living costs. He made no mention of any all-powerful board, apparently with the thought that congress could work out the methods for controlling the anti-inflation campaign, or leave it to him to work out later.

The president said he had given "thoughtful consideration" to meeting the inflation problem without further reference to congress but that he had decided to consult the legislators on the matter.

But he emphasized that he had ample powers to act on his own initiative if he chose to do so. And he added that he could not tell what powers might have to be exercised in order to win the war.

He gave this assurance, however:

"The American people can be sure that I will use my powers with a full sense of my responsibility to the constitution and to my country. The American people can also be sure that I shall not hesitate to use every power vested in me to accomplish the defeat of our enemies in any part of the world where our own safety demands such defeat."

Says Powers Are Temporary
"When the war is won, the powers under which I act automatically revert to the people—to whom they belong."

At the outset of his message, Mr. Roosevelt recited the seven-point program against inflation which he presented to congress and the country last April 27. He pointed out that action was necessary in all seven categories but that two points—an adequate tax program and a provision for ceilings on farm prices at parity—required legislation.

"I regret to have to call to your attention," he said, "the fact that neither of these two essential pieces of legislation has as yet been enacted into law. That delay has now reached the point of danger to our whole economy."

On the points not requiring congressional action, he said the administration was proceeding through executive action, such as fixing of price ceilings and holding down of rentals.

But he declared that the entire effort to hold the cost of living at its current level was "being sapped and undermined by further increases in farm prices and in wages, and by an ever-continuing pressure on prices resulting from the rising purchasing power of our people."

Pay Up 71% from 1939 to 1942
Annual wage and salary disbursements increased 71 per cent from 1939 to 1942, totaling now an estimated \$75,000,000,000, he asserted. The wage and salary bill has been rising by more than a billion dollars a month, he said.

Pointing to the necessity of stabilizing farm prices, Roosevelt said it was impossible to stabilize the cost of living without this primary step. The laborer can not be expected to get along at a fixed wage level, he continued, if everything he wears and eats begins to go up drastically in price.

On the other hand, he asserted,

IT IS AN OBLIGATION OF EACH AND EVERYONE

Someone You Know Writes About the USO

August 24, 1942

Dear Mayor Slothower:

I was extremely pleased to hear from you and to know I might be of some assistance in making the campaign for USO funds a success in Dixon. When I say that the USO is performing a great service for the men in uniform, I give you not only my own opinion, but also that of many of my friends who are located here at Jefferson barracks. Every soldier is welcome at the USO clubs and the advantages offered are so varied that each man can easily find there the kind of recreation in which he is interested. It is here a soldier mingles with other soldiers, sailors and marines, has many interesting discussions, because the lounges offer the proper atmosphere for good fellowship.

Undoubtedly, the caliber of entertainment and recreation the St. Louis USO clubs offer is the same throughout the United States and abroad. The clubs here are open every night to service men, with a different type of entertainment each night either at the club or arranged for at other clubs by the USO. The facilities at the clubs are available at all times and offer such recreation as ping pong, billiards, bridge, dancing, reading, writing letters, record playing, indoor golf, soundies, Dutch treat garden serving sandwiches and beverages and even photograph developing equipment. Other advantages offered by the USO are invitations to homes for dinner, tickets to plays and movies, travel information, service for visitors, locating hotel accommodations, vaudeville and various other entertainment presented at camp.

All of these services have a definite place in maintaining the morale of our armed forces. Every contribution given by those back home will result in bringing more recreation and needed services to someone they know—whether he be relative or friend in the service.

The campaign for the USO funds in Dixon has my heartiest best wishes for success. Every dollar contributed for this great service will have the deepest appreciation of all the boys in the service.

Sincerely yours,

EUGENE W. GODDARD
Headquarters Flight
355th Tech. Sch. Sqd. (Sp.)
Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

This is the fifth in a series of letters from boys you know . . .
Watch and read the next one tomorrow.

Your Support of the USO Drive Is Kindly Solicited

It is impossible to keep any prices stable, including farm prices, if wage rates continue to increase, since they are one of the most important elements in production costs.

Even with the stabilization of all prices and wages, the president said, the vast purchasing power of the country would continue to exert an upward pressure on living costs. He asserted that war made sacrifice a privilege and that workers, farmers, white collar people and businessmen would have to sacrifice in terms of a lack of many of the things to which they had become accustomed.

The president cited numerous statistics to support his argument for prompt action to curb the ascending cost of living and he renewed his suggestion for a \$25,000 limit on the net income of an individual after he had paid his taxes.

Asks War Profits Taxation
He also called for taxation to recapture all wartime profits which are not necessary to maintain efficient all-out war production.

As part of a general program for adjusting farm prices, the president recommended that congress consider in "due time" the advisability of legislation placing a floor under these prices so as to "maintain stability in the farm market for a reasonable future time." A practical method should be worked out, he said, which will not only impose a ceiling on prices of farm commodities, but also will permit a guarantee to the farmer of a fair minimum price for his product for a year, two years, or "whatever period is necessary after the end of the war."

Government's Labor Policy
While calling for stabilization of the earnings of American workmen, Mr. Roosevelt said it still was the government's policy to encourage free collective bargaining between employers and employees. But in times of danger to our economy, he said, the government must see to it that the processes of collective bargaining, arbitration and conciliation are not allowed to upset the balances between different economic factors.

If the cost of living goes up as fast as it threatens to do in the immediate future, Roosevelt declared, "It will be unjust, in fact impossible, to deny workers rises in wages which would meet at least a part of that increase."

The cost of wage earners' food has been rising 1 1/2 per cent monthly since price ceilings were imposed on some commodities last May, Mr. Roosevelt reported. A continuation of this trend would mean food costs by next May would be up more than 15 per cent.

Sees Whole Program In Peril
This drastic increase has been caused, he said, chiefly by the fact that a number of foods are exempt under existing law from the imposition of ceilings. The movement upward of uncontrolled food prices since May has been so drastic, the chief executive asserted, "as to constitute an immediate threat to the whole price structure, to the entire cost of living and to any attempt to stabilize wages."

The greatest danger, he said, is in dairy products, butter, cheese and evaporated milk are exempt from price control, Roosevelt said, and prices have been rising so rapidly that the situation creates a "serious threat to an adequate supply of fluid milk." He saw a

certainty that milk prices in large cities would go up unless control is established over prices of dairy products.

Runaway Prices Permitted
Ceilings cannot be imposed on all farm products, Roosevelt noted, because of a restriction in the price control act forbidding ceilings until farm prices as a whole have gone above parity. The restriction operates, he said, so that lowest average level at which ceilings may be imposed on all farm commodities is 116 per cent of parity and some commodities will go almost as high as 150 per cent.

He bespoke confidence that the farmer, who has been doing so much in the battle of food production, "will do as much in this struggle against economic forces which make for the disaster of inflation; for nobody knows better than the farmer what happens when inflationary, war time booms are permitted to become postwar panics."

Prior to delivery of the message, a tense congressional farm bloc waited to see if the president would seek to use his war powers to impose ceilings on farm products. At present the law provides that prices may rise to 100 per cent of parity, and several sen-

ators have warned that any effort to force prices below that level without congressional sanction would precipitate a bitter controversy.

GIVE ME LIBERTY

"Is life so dear, or peace so sweet, as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take; but as for me, give me liberty, or give me death."—Patrick Henry.

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MRS. ESTHER JACKSON
Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stevenson drove to Lamolite Sunday morning, leaving from there by bus for Chicago where they visited over Labor Day at the F. V. Giblin home and also visited relatives in Park Ridge.

John Powers, Leonard Carlson and Barney Keane were among those from board No. 1 who left from Princeton Friday morning for Camp Grant, for induction into the U. S. Army.

Dan Eldridge of the Merchant Marines, who recently returned from India, arrived here Saturday evening for a visit with his aunts, Miss Emma Weissel and Mrs. John Stevenson, Sr. and other relatives and friends.

The C. D. of A. social was held in their club rooms Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Nelle Johnson and the Misses Mabel Johnson and Mary Alice Quinn, hostesses. Prize winners in bridge was Mrs. Marie Johnson and Mrs. Elizabeth Walters and prizes in euchre were won by Mrs. Ann Sheehan and Mrs. Kate Nelson.

The Schultz brothers have purchased the Clarence Alm residence on South street, recently vacated by the Late Porchie family.

The Ohio high school opened Tuesday morning with an enrollment of about 80 students. Members of the faculty are as follows: G. A. Shannon, principal, science, economics and civics; J. W. Evans, agriculture; C. G. Hillyer, coach, mathematics and science; Miss Omega Foulk, home economics and commerce; Miss Mary Moore, English and Latin; Mrs. Thelma Conner, social science and English; Orville Westgar, orchestra and band; and Miss Edna Worrell, chorus.

Miss Agnes Murphy of Clinton, Iowa is spending a few weeks with her niece, Mrs. James Foley, Jr. and family.

Rev. E. S. Nicholson and son Philip of Muscatine, Iowa called

on friends here Thursday and were accompanied home by Edward Sheehan who was their guest for a few days.

Mrs. Edgar Phillips and her granddaughter, Miss Virginia Phillips spent the week end and Labor Day in Chicago.

Stephen, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Doran, has been brought home from the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital in Dixon where he had been a patient for two months.

Rev. Carl Kalkwarf, pastor of the First Lutheran church, spent a few days last week with his parents in Flanagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ioder, Mrs. Marian Hannah and the Misses Luella and Nellie Byrne drove to Chicago to attend the exercises in the Presbyterian hospital when the former's daughter, Miss Alberta received her cap. Miss Ioder has completed six months of study and is now enjoying a month's vacation at her home here.

Miss Helen Ann Spohn spent a few days recently with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wright and children are moving from the Henry Albrecht property northwest of town, to the residence on West street, recently purchased by Virgil Bacorn from the William Rubenstein estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foley were among the friends from Ohio who attended funeral services in Thomas last Monday for Fred Sandrock, father of Everett Sandrock of this city.

Miss Dorothy Rickert began her duties last Monday as teacher of music and commerce in the Prophetstown high school.

Miss Helen Etheridge, who is employed in Joliet spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Etheridge.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Helen Johnson, Mrs. Patricia McCoy and Mrs. Pauline Bacorn at the auctioneer's bridge club which met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Virginia Payne.

The Kasbeer unit of the Home Bureau will meet Friday afternoon, Sept. 11th at the home of Miss Hirrel Hussey. Mrs. Oreta

Eyer and Mrs. Mabel Alm will present the lesson on "Winter Storage of Vegetables."

The Victory bridge club enjoyed a "treasure hunt" Monday evening which was followed by dinner at the Schoaf cafe in Walnut.

A regular meeting of Friendship chapter No. 376 O. E. S. will be held Friday evening, Sept. 11th.

The Friendship Sunday school class party which was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewalt on Thursday evening, Sept. 10th has been postponed until the following week.

Mrs. Donald Anderson of Dixon visited over Sunday and Labor Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Alm.

Mrs. Orpha Sullivan began her duties last week at the Green River Ordnance plant.

Clifton Sister of Aurora spent the week end and Labor Day at the George L. Sisler home.

Harry Peterson enjoyed a vacation last week from his duties as maintenance man on state highways No. 26 and 92. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson went to Des Moines, Iowa, Sunday where they spent a few days with the former's brother, Ernest Peterson and family.

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Numerous complaints have been received at the office of Sheriff Gilbert Finch of speeding on the drives in Assembly park, endangering the lives of children and adults. Assembly park is private property and a speed limit of 20 miles an hour has been set within the area, and all violators will be arrested and fined for failure to conform to the regulation.

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